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Proposal for 4,000 homes is backed for edge of town

PLANS to build more than 4,000 houses, three schools, shops, and sports pitches in Didcot on fields bordering Great Western Park have been recommended for approval despite more than 100 objections.

By **Katriona Ormiston**

In a report published on Tuesday, Vale of White Horse District Council officers recommended the outline planning application by Hallam Land Management be given the go-ahead. The development of up to 4,254 homes would cover 178 hectares - the size of 293 football pitches- stretching from Great Western Park to the A34.

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Dance school dazzles Britain's Got Talent judges

YOUNGSTERS from an Oxford dance school strutted their stuff in front of millions on Saturday when they took to the Britain's Got Talent stage.

Elite Squad Royalz is made up of 13 dancers from Messy Jam Dance School in Blackbird Leys - and the young stars wowed Simon Cowell and the three other judges with a right royal performance.

The crew is hoping to take their skills all the way and perform in front of the Queen at the Royal Variety Performance in December.

See page 5 for full story.

• *Elite Squad Royalz performing on TV show Britain's Got Talent*

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Man faces murder charge after author is found dead

By **Alex Ballinger**

A 50-YEAR-OLD man has been charged with murder after an Oxford art and book dealer was found dead in the hallway of his Iffley Road house last week.

The body of Adrian Greenwood, 42, was discovered by his cleaner in his four-storey home last Thursday afternoon.

Michael Danaher, of Hadrians Court, Peterborough, Cambridgeshire, was charged on Tuesday evening.

He has been remanded in custody and is set to appear at Oxford Crown Court tomorrow after a hearing at Banbury Magistrates' Court yesterday.

A post mortem carried out on Friday gave a preliminary cause of death as multiple stab wounds to the neck and chest.

Head of the Thames Valley Police's Major Crime Unit, Detective Superintendent Chris Ward, said on Saturday: "We believe that an altercation has taken place in the hallway of this house. The post mortem confirmed that Mr Greenwood died following a vicious and sustained attack.

"We are keeping an open mind in terms of motive and whilst we have already made an arrest in connection with this investigation, I anticipate further arrests will be made as the investigation continues.

"It is very likely that the offender may have injuries as a result of this altercation."

Emergency services were called to the scene at 2.58pm on Thursday. Iffley Road was closed for more than 24 hours from Thursday afternoon until Friday evening.

Local policing area commander for Oxford, Superintendent Christian Bunt, said: "I would like to reassure that this type of murder is extremely rare in Oxford and we are doing everything we can establish the circumstances of Adrian Greenwood's murder.

"We have also undertaken some house to house enquiries, with more house to house enquiries expected to be carried out over the coming days.

"Our condolences and thoughts are with Mr Greenwood's family at this difficult time. They have asked that their privacy is respected."

A 26-year-old man was also arrested at about 10.20pm on Thursday but was released without charge on Saturday afternoon.

The last sighting of Mr Greenwood before his death was at Sainsbury's supermarket in Oxford Road, Kidlington, at about 6pm last Tuesday.

Police are appealing for anyone with information about Mr Greenwood's associates, or anyone who had a personal or business engagement with him in the last few weeks, to come forward.

• Police cordons and a forensics tent outside Mr Greenwood's home in Iffley Road

Timeline of events

TUESDAY, April 5
6pm: Adrian Greenwood is spotted on CCTV (below) at a Sainsbury's supermarket in Oxford Road, Kidlington, at about 6pm.

THURSDAY, April 7
Afternoon: Mr Greenwood is found dead in the hallway of his Iffley Road home by his cleaner.
2.58pm: Police and ambulance service called. Mr Greenwood is declared dead at the scene. A police cordon is set up and Iffley Road is closed to traffic.
5.26pm: Police confirm a body was found at the property and that they are investigating the 'unexplained death'.
10.20pm: 26-year-old man arrested on suspicion of murder
FRIDAY, April 8
11.54am: Police confirm they are treating the unexplained death as suspicious and appeal for anyone with information to come forward. A post mortem is scheduled to take place at 2pm.
10.30pm: Post mortem concludes and gives preliminary cause of death as multiple stab wounds to the neck and chest.
SATURDAY, April 9
2.23pm: Police reveal the victim as historian and art dealer Adrian Greenwood, 42, of Iffley Road and announce a murder investigation has been launched.
7.46pm: Police confirm they have released 26-year-old man without charge on Saturday afternoon.
SUNDAY, April 10
11pm: 50-year-old Michael Danaher, from Peterborough in Cambridgeshire, is arrested on suspicion of murder in Peterborough.
TUESDAY, April 12
Evening: Police charge the 50-year-old man from Peterborough, Michael Danaher, with murder.
Wednesday, April 13
Afternoon: Danaher appears at Banbury Magistrates' Court and is remanded in custody. He is to appear at Oxford Crown Court tomorrow, April 15.

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Embroiled in a row

ADRIAN Greenwood, 42, attended the independent preparatory Hawthorns School in Bletchingley, Surrey, and Tonbridge School in Kent.

He later went on to study philosophy, politics and economics at Christ Church, Oxford, before studying for an MBA at Imperial College, London.

After leaving Imperial, he began buying British Rail lost property, including umbrellas, mobile phones, coats and prams, to sell at car-boot sales around London - a move which saw him move into the field of art dealing.

In 1998, he contributed his first article to the Antiques Bulletin magazine and went on to write for a number of antiques and collectables magazines.

Two years later, Mr Greenwood began selling books online and accumulated five garages full of 25,000 books, until he began dealing in rare and antique books.

Mr Greenwood became embroiled in a row with Harry Potter author J K Rowling after buying a number of the writer's personal items, including a drawing Rowling had done of a little boy, a hand-coloured invitation to her daughter's second birthday party and a list of potential character names for the first Harry Potter book.

• Adrian Greenwood

He was approached by Rowling's literary agents when he put the items up for sale on eBay, who accused him of breaching copyright.

In November 2010, Mr Greenwood had his first edition Harry Potter book stolen from a gallery in Woodstock while it was on loan there.

He appeared on BBC and ITV to warn the thief how difficult it would be to sell the edition, and it was later abandoned outside a Boots cosmetics shop in Abingdon.

Mr Greenwood retired from dealing books to focus on writing historical books, with his first book, Victoria's Scottish Lion, being published in 2015.

His historical works focus mainly on 19th-century British military history.

Comic book convention to draw superhero fans

By **Katriona Ormiston**

DIDCOT'S first comic convention is hoping to draw in superhero fans from across Oxfordshire and beyond.

Didcot Comic Con is to be held at the Civic Hall in Britwell Road on Saturday, June 18.

Hundreds are expected to attend the event after Oxford's sell-out debut comic book convention attracted 2,000 people in March.

Comic book fans Nicole Wilson and Chris Wickham thought up the idea of hosting a town comic con in December.

Didcot resident Ms Wilson said: "It is something the town and the whole of Oxfordshire needs as it has such a growing population. It is mental to think it is so close now. I think comic books have always been popular but people need an outlet to enjoy them."

Ms Wilson started collecting comics about two years ago and so far has about 300.

She and Mr Wickham met at his comic book stall at Didcot's fortnightly Saturday market and hatched the plan to launch Didcot's debut comic con.

Mr Wickham, who owns Advanced Comix in Wantage's Arbery Arcade, said: "I knew my business would be popular but I had no idea there were so many fellow geeks around.

"A comic con is a great chance for everyone to come together and celebrate this popular culture. Plus it is the perfect location as it is at the heart of Didcot and easily accessible from all over Oxfordshire and beyond. I look forward to meeting current and future customers there."

Didcot Comic Con will run from 10am to 5pm with at least 40 stalls and panels featuring various comic book themes.

Guests will include Star Wars Red 12 actor John Chapman, 'God Emperer of Didcot' author Toby Frost, and cosplay from Kitty Brooker, Lady Venom and Dis Cosplay.

Tickets are £7 for entry from 10am and £5 for entry from 11.30am, available at www.wegottickets.com/event/357010.

• *The Joker and Harley Quinn at Oxford's Comic Con last month (photo by Chris Stonehouse)*

Objections flood in to 4,000-home plan

• *From front page*

The report came ahead of the Vale's planning committee meeting at 6.30pm next Wednesday, April 20, at The Beacon, Wantage, which is due to consider the application.

In the document, Vale officer Holly Bates said: "It is in the public interest that housing is provided to meet need acknowledged in the district. The economic and social roles of this development are in the public interest and these wider benefits are considered to outweigh the environmental harm."

The land, to be called Valley Park, is earmarked for 'at least' 2,550 homes in the Vale's draft Local Plan 2031. A Government planning inspector has yet to finish evaluating the plan before it can be adopted.

With 3,300 homes already being built at neighbouring Great Western Park, five parish and town councils, five community groups and 122 residents have filed objections to the planning application.

Among others, they include concerns about Didcot merging with Harwell and creeping closer to Milton and West Hagbourne, a lack of infrastructure to support the houses, extra traffic and overdevelopment.

Didcot Town Council submitted a four-page response opposing the application.

It said: "The effect would be to overwhelm existing services and amenities and degrade what is currently enjoyed by Didcot residents."

Harwell resident Alastair Greatbanks said: "The road network is already showing signs of gross overcrowding and traffic is already coming to a standstill."

Didcot resident Will Vousden said: "The proposed roundabout will deprive cycle commuters of one the very few safe routes across the A34 between Didcot and Harwell."

Oxfordshire County Council had no objections as long as it was satisfied with financial contributions and conditions. It recommends that £54 million be paid to fund infrastructure and services around Didcot.

Of this, £2.6m would go towards providing a new bridge to link Valley Park and Great Western Park over the A4130 to the power station site and Milton Park.

Another £7.8m would go on widening the A4130, £1.8m towards building a Harwell link road, £19m on two new primary schools, £15m towards improving secondary schools, and £1.9m on a new swimming pool.

Two primary schools and land for a special educational needs school are included in plans for the site, alongside two small retail hubs and a leisure centre with a 57-station gym, four courts and a community centre, and two parks with football pitches, tennis courts, a cricket pitch, a skate or parkour park, a multi-use games area and a pavilion.

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Road to close

DIDCOT: Maintenance work will shut a Didcot road for two days starting on Monday, April 18.

A section of Hayden Road, between Station Road and Lydalls Road, will be closed to traffic for the repairs by Oxfordshire County Council.

The work is expected to take two days but the council's traffic notice covers a maximum of five days. It has suggested a diversion via Station Road, Foxhall Road, and Broadway.

Powers proposal

DIDCOT: Powers to fine residents who do not clean up after their dogs have been included in South Oxfordshire District Council's corporate plan.

The document for 2016-20 to was expected to be adopted at a full council meeting tonight.

It includes the plans to bring in fixed penalty notices for environmental wardens to issue to dog owners.

Shop rebranded

DIDCOT: A Pound Deals discount store is opening in the former Poundstretcher shop at Didcot's Orchard Centre on Saturday.

Mayor Des Healy is due to attend the opening from 9am. The shop is employing six extra staff and will sell household and garden items as well as food for £1 or less.

It is still owned by Poundstretcher, but it has been rebranded as it is too small to house its larger ranges.

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Councillor's motion calls for a single authority for Oxfordshire

A WEST Oxfordshire councillor has called for his council to look at joining a single unitary authority for the county.

The county's five district and city councils want to see the present set-up abolished and replaced by four larger unitary councils, while Oxfordshire County Council would prefer a single Oxfordshire unitary authority.

But district councillor Duncan Enright has tabled a proposal for West Oxfordshire to support an Oxfordshire council instead of merging with Cotswold District Council under the plan for four unitary authorities.

Cllr Enright said: "It is important we rule out full political union with Cotswold. We can continue sharing services with other authorities and have made savings as a result, but within our historic and logical home, which is Oxfordshire."

Vale of White Horse and South Oxfordshire district councils would also merge, as would Cherwell and South Northamptonshire.

Cllr Enright's motion is to be put to WODC at a meeting on Wednesday, April 27.

Dancers step way to right royal fun

By **Alex Ballinger**

• *Elite Squad Royalz with Chelsea Cox (centre) as the Queen (Inset: Elite Squad Royalz are part of Messy Jam Dance School)*

BRITAIN'S Got Talent viewers from Oxford might have spotted a few familiar faces on Saturday as members of a Blackbird Leys dance school took to the stage to impress Simon Cowell and his fellow judges.

The young people from Messy Jam Dance School , who donned Guardsmen costumes and were joined by a very nimble Queen, are hoping their talents can take them all the way to performing in front of real royalty.

The 13 members of Messy Jam that make up Elite Squad Royalz come from in and around Oxford and were given the thumbs-up by the judges.

Chelsea Cox was given the tricky responsibility of performing as a hip-hop monarch.

The 11-year-old from Wood Farm said: "I was really thankful. It's a big role to take up. It was amazing.

"We were nervous but I knew we were going to do well. The crowd was cheering. It was just so supportive."

Messy Jam meets at two halls in the Blackbird Leys area, but the group has not had a permanent home for 10 years.

But their teacher and choreographer Elisha Peart is hoping their new-found fame will help find them a permanent base.

The 33-year-old from Barton said: "It's a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. It was an amazing experience.

"We're looking for a permanent home."

The school splits its time between Jubilee Hall in Sorrel Road, Blackbird Leys, and The Barn in Nightingale Avenue, Greater Leys.

After receiving their four yes votes from the judges, Elite Squad Royalz are waiting to hear from ITV to find out if they will appear on the show again.

Daisie Hegarty-Ward, 12, of Iffley, said: "It was really hard but it was worth it. We trained for three hours a week.

"My friends have all been talking about it. We all watched it on TV together and all of our phones started beeping loads. People were saying 'I just saw you on TV'.

"Now we're back to it, back to working hard."

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Missing man found

OXFORD: A 27-year-old man who was missing from an Oxford hospital has been found safe and well.

Sandeep Flora went missing from Littlemore Mental Health Centre in Sandford Road at 4.14pm on Monday.

Police announced yesterday morning at 8.39am he had been found.

Jewellery appeal

OXON: Police are appealing for the public's help in finding jewellery stolen in a burglary at a home in Marston Ferry Road, Oxford, on March 23.

Among the items missing are a necklace (pictured) and a silver box engraved with a picture of the victim's first home which she shared with her husband and their dog.

PC Emilie Tomann said: "It has strong sentimental value to her."

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• A man charged in connection to the burglary is due to appear at Oxford Magistrates' Court on April 22.

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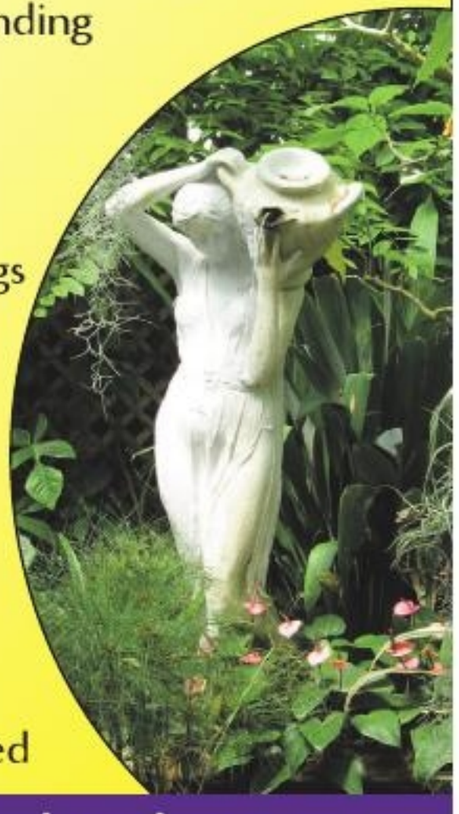

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Robber sought

EYNSHAM: A manhunt is under way for a thief who wore an elephant mask to rob the Eynsham Cellars wine shop in Mill Street on Saturday.

He entered the shop at 9.42pm and threatened a shop assistant before demanding money. He fled on a bicycle with an unknown amount of cash in the direction of John Lopes Road.

Homes raided

SUTTON: Expensive musical instruments, a ladies' mountain bike, wine, iPads and iPods were stolen in a series of burglaries in Sutton Lane.

Between 10pm on Tuesday, April 5, and 8am the following day, offenders entered three properties and stole the items.

Police then discovered stolen property at a Thames Water facility in Sutton Lane, including walking boots (pictured).

If the boots belong to you, please contact police by calling 101.

New bishop chosen after a lengthy wait

By **Adam Flinn**

A NEW bishop to lead the church in Oxfordshire and beyond has finally been chosen 18 months after his predecessor retired.

The Right Reverend Dr Steven Croft, 58, was announced as the Bishop of Oxford on Tuesday morning, and is set to take up office later in the year.

The Bishop of Oxford leads the Church of England in Oxfordshire, Berkshire and Buckinghamshire, supported by the area bishops of Dorchester, Reading and Buckingham.

The appointment came after the previous Bishop of Oxford, the Rt Rev John Pritchard, retired in October 2014.

Bishop Steven, who is currently the Bishop of Sheffield, and will start his new role in the autumn, said: "I am looking forward enormously to a new challenge and new responsibility in the Diocese of Oxford and to working with the senior team and many others to serve the local communities and to build up the life of the church.

"There are many signs of God's grace at work across the diocese and immense potential for the future. I would ask for the prayers of the diocese in the coming weeks and months for all that lies ahead."

• *The Rt Revd Dr Steven Croft*

The Diocese of Oxford has a population of about 2.3 million, more than 800 churches and almost 300 church schools.

The Bishop of Dorchester, the Rt Rev Colin Fletcher, who has been Acting Bishop of Oxford, said: "This is a great day for our diocese as we welcome the announcement of the next Bishop of Oxford.

"As both a diocesan bishop and as a parish priest, Steven has shown a passion for sharing the good news of Christ in both traditional and innovative ways."

The Dean of Christ Church in Oxford, the Very Rev Professor Martyn Percy, said: "The cathedral very much looks forward to welcoming Bishop Steven to Oxford, and to the wider diocese. The diocese, like its cathedral, is both complex and unique, and we look forward to the distinctive gifts that Bishop Steven will bring to us in our shared vocation."

Bicester school opens doors to pupils at its new £6.9m site

A CHURCH of England primary school has opened its doors in Bicester after relocating to a new site.

The grand opening of the new £6.9 million St Edburg's C of E Primary School was held on Monday, March 21, after its move from Cemetery Road to Pioneer Way on the town's Kingsmere development.

It has a two-form entry and a nursery.

School headteacher Margaret Kunzer said: "We are delighted to be in our new school. The children and staff are enjoying a building which has exceeded all expectations and gives the children a wonderful learning environment.

"The state-of-the-art building makes a statement to the surrounding community that this is an excellent learning environment for children."

As well as classrooms, the school has a main hall, a space for smaller assemblies, prayer spaces and a school 'heart space', which is a central learning hub for all pupils and staff to use.

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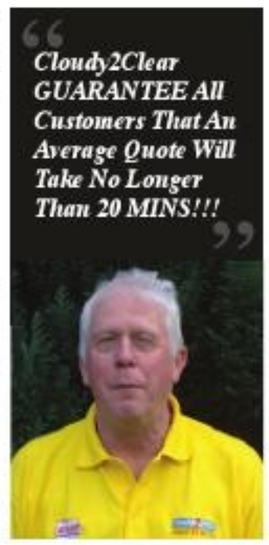

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Opposition in call for PM to resign after revelation of offshore fund

WITNEY MP and Prime Minister David Cameron has faced calls to resign after it was revealed last week he benefitted from his late dad's offshore fund before he became leader of the country.

Last Thursday, the PM revealed he had owned shares in an offshore firm set up by his dad, Ian, who was named in the leak of about 11 million documents from Panama-based law firm Mossack Foneseca.

The PM revealed on Thursday that he had owned about 5,000 shares in the Panama-based Blairmore Investment Trust which he sold for about £31,000 in 2010, just before he was elected to Number 10.

In an interview with Channel 4 on Thursday, Mr Cameron said: "I think a lot of the criticisms are based on a fundamental misconception, which is that Blairmore Investment Trust was set up with the idea of avoiding tax.

"It wasn't."

Calls for his resignation came from American whistleblower Edward Snowden, Labour MP John Mann and deputy leader of the Labour Party Tom Watson.

Superheroes raise money for hospice

By **Katriona Ormiston**

PASSENGERS hopping on buses around Oxfordshire may have had a superhero surprise.

Batman, Superman and Wonder Woman were among the characters getting people from A to B to raise funds for an Oxford charity.

In total, 20 Stagecoach drivers from depots in Oxford, Witney and Banbury dressed up as their favourite superhero for shifts from 4am on Friday until 4pm on Saturday.

The effort was in aid of Helen and Douglas House children and young people's hospice in Magdalen Road.

Clayton Moore, from Bicester, is one of the bus drivers being sponsored for the charity.

He dressed up as Captain America, Wonder Woman, and Red Riding Hood during his eight-hour shift and has raised more than £700 so far.

• *(Front, left to right) Zoe Grove-Welsh with Emilia, Ted, and Miles with (back) Stagecoach staff Joanne Cleaver as Super Ted, Russell Bridges as Batman, Maggie Rogers as Super Gran and Clayton Moore as Wonder Woman*

Mr Moore said: "We're dressing up as heroes for the day but the staff at Helen and Douglas House are the real heroes.

"It's been great to see the likes of Batman, Superman, Spiderman and Wonder Woman in the driving seat of some of Oxfordshire's Stagecoach buses and we hope we've helped raise awareness of Helen and Douglas House and what the team there do for families from across the region."

Waving off some of the team was seven-year-old Ted Grove-Welsh, who is supported at the hospice for a complex condition and loves buses.

Ted, who lives in Swindon with mum Zoe, dad Sven, 11-year-old brother Miles and one-year-old sister Emilia, suffers from a rare neurological disorder called aromatic l-amino acid decarboxylase (AADC) deficiency.

The condition causes uncontrolled movement in Ted's limbs and regular, severe and prolonged seizures. He has been attending Helen House regularly for respite care since early 2015, and his family stays in the hospice flats to be near him.

Mrs Grove-Welsh said: "When you are given a different journey in life, you need a little help to make sure you have the strength, both mentally and physically, to be able to travel along your new path.

"Helen House has given us respite, time, love and care, which gives us all an inner strength.

"Without question, we would be struggling without Helen and Douglas House."

The charity relies on donations for the £5m it costs to run every year.

Helen and Douglas House fundraiser Suzi Attree said: "Comic heroes are something the children at Helen and Douglas House love so we're delighted to be part of this fantastic fundraising idea."

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News Bites

Burglary arrest

STEVENTON: A 39-year-old man from Oxford has been arrested after a house in Steventon was burgled last week.

Offenders smashed a back window of a home in Barnett Road between 2.30pm and 3pm on Tuesday, April 5.

They stole a PlayStation 4, a Bose sound system, a mobile phone and a laptop.

Police are appealing for witnesses or anyone with information to contact them on 101.

Cycling flasher

OXFORD: A man exposed himself to a woman in Headington while riding a bike in broad daylight last Thursday.

The incident happened at about 11am in Pullens Lane and the offender rode off in the direction of London Road.

He is aged between 30 and 40, has short black hair and was wearing jeans and a black jumper or coat.

A second exposure occurred in the area at about 2.30pm on Wednesday, March 30.

The cyclist exposed himself to a woman as she walked between the Churchill and John Radcliffe hospitals, possibly along Old Road.

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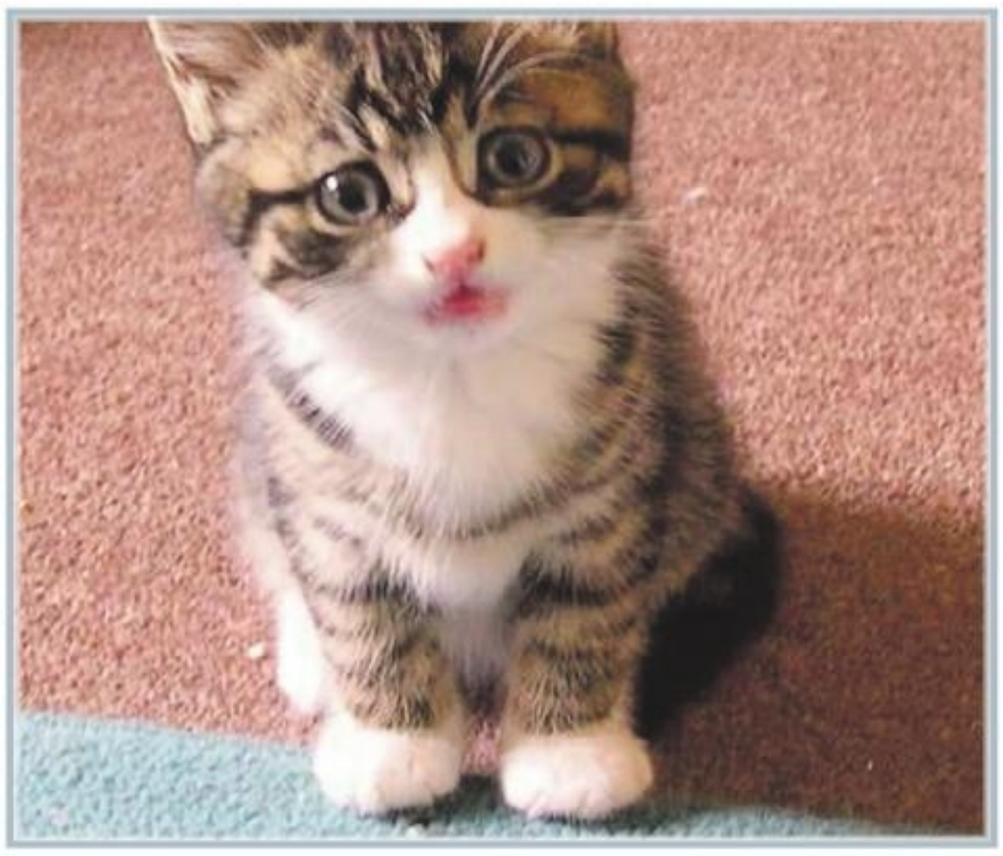

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Quarry plan opposed

A PLAN to quarry a stretch of land the size of 165 football pitches between Didcot and Abingdon has been submitted to Oxfordshire County Council.

About 2.5m tonnes of sand and gravel would be extracted over 10 years from Fullamoor Quarry bordering the River Thames if given the go-ahead.

But campaigners fear it would aggravate traffic congestion, increase flood risk and damage the environment.

The plans by Swindon-based Hills Quarry Products were published last Thursday.

The land would be quarried in nine phases before being landscaped with wildlife and sailing lakes and a car park once quarrying had finished.

The quarry would lie between Clifton Hampden, Long Wittenham and Appleford, with an entrance road joining the A415 Abingdon Road opposite Culham Science Park.

But 800 members of protest group Bachport (Burcot & Clifton Hampden for the Protection of the River Thames) are warning 110 lorry trips a day would equate to an HGV passing through Abingdon or Clifton Hampden every six minutes for 11 hours a day.

Bachport chairman Ian Mason said: "Oxfordshire has 18 years of gravel supply as it stands, so why dig up a lovely part of the countryside by the River Thames when we do not need to?

By **Katriona Ormiston**

"The river flows all along one side of the site – it will be visible to all who use the Thames Path and the river. And another thing is that it is all in the Green Belt and in the floodplain."

The plans would create 15 jobs - five site workers and 10 lorry drivers.

The sand and gravel would be used in South Oxfordshire for developments including an expansion of Culham Science Park and housing and infrastructure in and around Didcot.

Hills' group director Peter Andrew said: "Our planning application follows 18 months of public consultation which included a public exhibition and numerous meetings with local residents.

"As a result of the feedback received, we significantly reduced our plans in relation to the volumes of material we hope to extract and the time we will take to work the site.

"The final restoration plans were also scaled back so that no additional material is brought onto site which in turn reduced the overall number of vehicle movements."

A plant site to process the minerals would also be built including a sand and gravel washing plant, a concrete plant, a clean water lagoon, and an office building.

Hills originally planned to extract 4.75m tonnes of mineral from the site over 25 years but the proposal has been scaled down.

A public consultation on the planning application (which has a reference number of MW.0039/16) is running on the county council's website until May 13.

• *A map of the site*

• *Hills' designs of what the land would look like when is it restored after the quarry's lifetime runs out*

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Grant for post

FARINGDON: A £40,000 project to revitalise Faringdon town centre is to be launched.

Faringdon Town Council is hoping to hire a market town co-ordinator to join its town team. The post is being supported by a £40,000 grant from Vale of White Horse District Council over two years to boost the town's economy.

Vale leader Matthew Barber said: "We've been really pleased with the work people in Faringdon have put in over the past couple of years."

Motorist is found guilty of causing rider's death

AN OXFORD man has been found guilty of causing the death of an elderly motorcyclist by careless driving.

Mahamud Abubaka, 36, of Pound Field Close, Barton, was convicted after a three-day trial at Oxford Crown Court.

Senior investigating officer, Sergeant Beth Walton, said if Abubaka had taken just seconds to check Marston Road was clear, 75-year-old Geoffrey Steele would still be alive.

Sgt Walton, of the Serious Collision Investigation Unit in Bicester, said: "An extra few seconds looking and checking the road was clear and safe to pull out would have prevented this collision and the grief caused to Mr Steele's family and friends."

She added: "Mr Steele, who was a very experienced motorcyclist and enthusiast, had been riding safely within the speed restriction and was wearing the correct safety protection including a high visibility jacket to make himself more visible."

Just before Midday on September 26, 2014, Abubaka was driving a Vauxhall Zafira on an A40 slip road in Headington and turned right on to Marsh Lane. He pulled out into the path of Geoffrey Steele's BMW R1100 motorcycle.

Mr Steele, from Carterton, died from his injuries at the John Radcliffe Hospital, Oxford, on October 19.

Abubaka has been bailed to appear at Oxford Crown Court on May 10 to be sentenced.

He was summonsed for the offence on March 27, 2015, and charged on May 5, 2015.

Four candidates line up for commissioner role

By **Alex Ballinger**

AS election day approaches, the names of candidates standing for the post of Police and Crime Commissioner (PCC) in Thames Valley have been announced ahead of the polls opening on Thursday, May 5.

The current PCC Anthony Stansfeld (Con), who has held the position since it was created in November 2012, is standing for re-election for another term, but faces competition from across the region.

Amongst those hoping to replace him are Oxfordshire county councillor John Howson (Liberal Democrat), and West Oxfordshire district councillor Laetisia Carter (Labour).

The final hat in the ring belongs to Slough-based UKIP candidate Lea Trainer.

Mr Stansfeld, who is also West Berkshire councillor for Kintbury, said: "In my period of being PCC, Thames Valley Police has gone from being on of the worst performing to the best three or four. I think we've got very good staff and police officers.

"I had a background in the military and running companies.

"I'm probably much better qualified than anybody else."

Mr Stansfeld said his priorities were protecting vulnerable people, reducing burglaries and reducing rural crimes.

After taking up the post, Mr Stansfeld came under fire in the national press for changing the address of his main office to a local police station, which allowed him to claim expenses for the journey from his home to Thames Valley Police (TVP) headquarters in Kidlington.

Labour candidate Mrs Carter, who lives in Chipping Norton, has served as a district councillor since May 2014 and has worked for the police, the NHS and the court service.

She said: "It's just an amazing opportunity to use the valuable funding to do something really useful.

"I've worked as a commissioner for the NHS for mental health services for the last seven years, so I understand about responding to need."

Mrs Carter said her priorities were to fight against cuts to the police budget, to respond to crimes on the rise and to increase reporting of domestic abuse and child sexual exploitation.

The Home Office has cut police funding by about four per cent a year between 2010 and 2015, with 17,000 frontline jobs being axed during that period, according to the police federation.

Mr Howson, who lives in Oxford, served as a magistrate for 23 years, and has been a Reading East and Banbury parliamentary candidate in the past.

His priorities include protecting policing from Government cuts, supporting local policing and the need to tackle rural crimes such as hare coursing.

UKIP candidate Lea Trainer has served in the Royal Navy and now teaches vulnerable children and young adults.

He said: "I will stand up as the straight-talking voice of the people in Thames Valley.

"I am passionate about restoring trust between the community and the police force."

The deadline for members of the public registering to vote in the PCC election, as well as those for local councils, is Monday, April 18.

• John Howson

• Laetisia Carter

• Anthony Stansfeld

• Lea Trainer

PCC role was established to give public accountability

THE role of police and crime commissioner (PCC) was created by the Coalition Government in November 2012.

It was aimed at increasing the accountability of policing in the eyes of the electorate by giving members of the public a direct vote.

The responsibilities of the police commissioner are to ensure the efficiency and effectiveness of their police force by allocating money.

Chief constables are also appointed, suspended and dismissed by them.

The police commissoners must draw up a police and crime plan, which sets out their priorities for policing and how they aim to measure performance.

In 2014, the Labour Party planned to scrap the post if they had won last year's General Election following the poor voter turnout in the first PCC elections.

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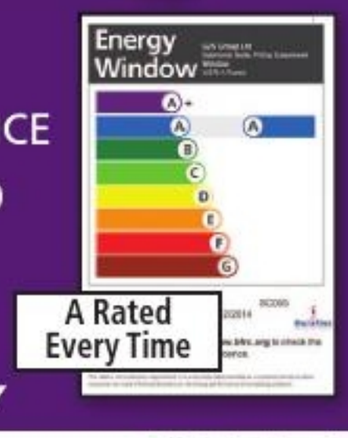

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Bid to extend hours rejected

PROPOSALS to extend the trading hours of a mobile food van have been refused by West Oxfordshire District Council.

Mr Salik, who has traded from a kebab van trailer in Market Place, Chipping Norton, for 16 years, starting at 6.30pm, wanted to start trading earlier at 5pm in line with other establishments.

But at a licence committee meeting on April 7 councillors were told Chipping Norton Town Council had objected to the extension.

It pointed out his vehicle had parked in Market Place from 4pm, earlier than his licence allowed, taking up space in the car park at a busy period.

The district council report said that while Mr Malik was correct in that other hot food premises were able to start trading earlier, his consent allowed him to operate into the early hours of the next day, far longer than the other establishments.

Mr Salik said he wanted the council to extend his licence operating hours because of demand from his customers to buy food on their way home from work.

He apologised for arriving too early, but told the council he needed to arrive earlier in order to prepare the van for serving customers.

Cricket club plans

• *Artist's impression - from Aylesbury Road (inset artist's impression - from Church gate)*

By **Jayne Smith**

PLANS to demolish Thame Cricket Club's pavilion and replace it with a new "fit for purpose" building have been submitted.

The club said the pavilion, built in 1975, is 'wholly inadequate' to cater for men's, women's and children's teams and did not comply with the English Cricket Board's (ECB) standards.

The changing rooms are 'poor quality' and the showers are not in the changing rooms, meaning players had to walk through public areas to reach them.

The club, which has about 300 members, is based in Church Road, Thame, next to historic St Mary's Church, and is within a conservation area.

The plans include demolishing the building and constructing a new pavilion nearer the pitch. The two-storey clubhouse would include a kitchen, a bar and a function room on both floors, storage rooms, an office, changing rooms and a viewing terrace.

The footprint of the building would be slightly bigger than the current one. It would be built of stone with timber cladding in keeping with neighbouring properties.

A net area and service yard are included in the proposal, and the car park would be redesigned to provide 45 spaces and 20 cycle spaces.

Thame Town Council is funding the development to the tune of £120,000 and is seeking a further £150,000 from cash allocated to sports provision in the town by South Oxfordshire District Council.

In a letter of support, town clerk Graham Hunt said: "The redevelopment of the clubhouse is further endorsed in the Thame Sports Facility Strategy, an output of the adopted Thame Neighbourhood Plan.

"The town council is particularly encouraged by the stated plans of the cricket club for even wider involvement with the community than the already excellent levels of engagement that it currently achieves."

Only cricket would be played at the site, the report said, but its clubhouse facilities would be used by local hockey and netball clubs and other groups for meetings and occasional social events.

A decision is expected to be made in May

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Survey cash offer

BICESTER: A council is offering volunteers £100 for the community group they support in return for working five hours on a door-to-door survey.

They will help Cherwell District Council officers do an energy survey of about 80 homes in the Highfield area, on Saturday, May 7.

People will also need to attend a training course of up to two hours on May 4.

For information email sam.thomas@cherwell-dc.gov.uk or phone 01295 221964.

Festival date

CHIPPING NORTON: The town is gearing up for the start of the four-day Chipping Norton Literary Festival which kicks off on Thursday, April 21.

Tickets are still available for events across the town. For more information, view chipfitfest.com or call 01608 642350 to book tickets.

Club's new base

BICESTER: Job seekers can get help into employment when the Job Club starts operating from a new base at Bicester Library, in Franklins House.

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Fly-tip problems on the increase in Cherwell area

By **Jayne Smith**

A COUNCIL says it will clamp down on dog fouling, littering and fly-tipping after figures showed an increase in rubbish being dumped across the Cherwell district.

In the last financial year of 2015/16, a Cherwell District Council report said there were 498 incidents of fly-tipping compared with 390 in 2012/13 - an increase of 108 incidents.

A total of 11 incidents were taken to court last year – 2.2 per cent of the total number of fly-tips.

The report said fly-tipping was 'not a major problem' and that a prosecution depended on what evidence was left at the scene.

Other figures for 2015/16 showed no fixed penalty notices for dog fouling were issued, but 19 people were fined for littering and 16 issued with formal cautions - that compares with 2012/13, when six dog foul penalty notices were issued and 54 litter fines and seven formal cautions were handed out.

The council spends £1.135m annually emptying litter bins, removing litter and chewing gum from paths, clearing graffiti and investigating and removing fly-tips.

Cherwell said keeping the district clean was a 'key priority' and its executive had agreed to support enforcement action and education programmes.

Ian Davies, Cherwell's director of operational delivery, said: "We employ good quality, highly motivated staff who do a fine job at keeping the district spick and span.

"But they can't do it on their own. We rely on the public to help, not least by not littering in the first place. Most people are responsible when it comes to waste. They use litter bins and dispose of their household waste through the council's collection services.

"But a few just throw away litter, or they try to get rid of waste in gateways, alleyways, or other land. It causes environmental damage and passes the clean-up cost on to the council or private landowners.

"Cherwell District Council will continue to take enforcement action whenever it can on littering, fly tipping, abandoned vehicles and dog fouling."

Each year about £15,000 is spent removing chewing gum from town-centre streets

The council is also responsible for clearing litter from parts of the A34 and laybys and said keeping the area clean was 'a challenge'.

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Tickets on sale

THAME: Tickets have gone on sale for Thame's annual Music in the Park concert organised by the town council.

Among the acts is a Beatles tribute act called Dung Beatles, as well as rock and roll from the Memphis Rattlesnakes and tunes by local punk band One State Drive. There will also be stalls and activities for children.

Tickets cost £9 for adults, concessions £5 and a family pass £23 and are available from the Town Hall Information Centre, in High Street.

Birthday beacons

OXON: Beacons will be lit across the county on Thursday, April 21, to mark the Queen's 90th birthday.

More than 1,000 beacons will burn brightly at churches and village greens, as well as on the UK's highest mountains.

In Thame, celebrations will take place outside the Town Hall, in High Street, from 7pm, with performances by Thame Concert Band and the town's Chamber Choir, as well as an inspection of 594 (Thame) Squadron Air Training Corps and Thame Army Cadet Force.

£50m village works

BERINSFIELD: Proposals to draw up a masterplan to renovate the village of Berinsfield will progress to a full council meeting tonight, after they were discussed by South Oxfordshire District Council's cabinet last Thursday.

As reported by the Guardian last week, the council is to decide on a £1.5m feasibility study ahead of plans to invest up to £50m in the project.

The council will meet at The Fountain Conference Centre in Howbery Park, Crowmarsh Gifford at 6pm.

• *Rare appearance of WW2 Mustang fighter at airshow*

Mustang to thrill plane fans at Flywheel event

PEOPLE will be able to get up close to a Second World War American Mustang fighter when it make a 'rare' appearance at a Bicester show.

Flywheel Festival, hosted at Bicester Heritage, off Buckingham Road, will take place over the weekend of July 2 and 3.

Hundreds of historic cars, aircraft and military vehicles will be on display at the site, a former RAF flying base.

The P-51 Mustang will thrill crowds with an air display on both days and will also land at the airfield giving visitors the chance to get up close to the plane.

As part of a recent restoration, the P-51 Mustang has received a new livery, returning it to the original colours it sported during the war for the first time since then.

The plane served in Italy from 1944 to 1945 as part of the USAF 332nd Fighter Group, the famous Tuskegee Airmen, and still has some of its 'battle scars'.

A Flywheel spokesman said: "In addition to this remarkable aircraft, a number of additional air displays and flypasts will take to the skies above Flywheel, while dozens of hand-picked aircraft will be on static display.

"With an intimate atmosphere which allows visitors to get up close to the aircraft and meet the pilots, Flywheel brings together a unique mix of historic aviation, motoring and military displays in a celebration of all things winged and wheeled."

For more information about the festival and tickets, view the website: flywheelfestival.com.

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£1m potholes cash is 'a drop in ocean'

By **Alex Ballinger**

NEWS that Oxfordshire will benefit from more than £1 million from the Government to repair potholes has been criticised by transport leaders claiming it was 'a drop in the ocean'.

The Department for Transport (DfT) announced the £50m cash fund to fix potholes across the country last Thursday and also revealed Oxfordshire would benefit from £1,036,000 – enough to fix almost 20,000 potholes.

But a transport spokesman for the Local Government Association (LGA) slammed the contribution.

Councillor Martin Tett, of the LGA, said: "While £50 million is a step in the right direction, councils need more than 230 times that amount to cover the £11.8 billion cost to bring our roads up to scratch.

"The condition of our roads is only going to get worse unless we address it as a national priority."

Last month, the Oxfordshire Guardian reported on a Swedish pothole patcher, nicknamed 'The Dragon', taking to the streets of a West Oxfordshire village to fill in potholes.

The patcher earned its name due to its fire-emitting nozzle that it uses to dry out potholes before filling them. It fixes about 20 each day on average.

Oxfordshire County Council's cabinet member for transport, David Nimmo Smith, said: "It is welcomed funding, which we will put to excellent use in our battle with potholes.

"This additional funding, together with our new Dragon patcher, will mean that we can get on top of the road condition over the next few months,.

"There is never enough funding available nationally as well as locally to fully keep on top of the road conditions.

"Allocating this funding to potholes will allow the county to divert much-needed funding to dealing with other road issues."

More than 100 councils across England will receive a slice of the pie over the next year to fix almost 1m potholes.

The £50m injection is part of the DfT's £250m Pothole Action Fund included in the March budget, which will be spent by 2020/2021.

Transport secretary Patrick McLoughlin said: "I know how important well-maintained roads are to people across the country.

"Almost every journey starts and ends on a local road.

"[Government is] giving councils long-term certainty for the first time to plan future work with the aim of preventing potholes and improving local roads, bridges and street lighting."

President of the AA, Edmund King, tweeted after the announcement to say the cash was welcome but was still a drop in the ocean.

• *The Dragon in action in Shipton under Wychwood last month*

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Mobiles stolen

OXFORD: Two mobile phones and a laptop were stolen in a burglary in Harebell Road in Blackbird Leys on Saturday.

Police believe offenders gained entry to the property via an insecure rear window between 2.30am and 9.30am.

A table was also stolen.

Call 101 with information.

Sex assault plea

OXFORD: A 34-year-old woman fought off a man who sexually assaulted her as she was walking along Cowley Road, between the junctions of Stockmore Street and Marston Street, at about 5.45pm last Wednesday.

The victim was grabbed from behind and the offender wrapped his arms around her, touching her inappropriately over her clothing.

The offender is white with distinctive collar-length ginger hair, in his early 20s, about 5ft 6in to 8in, slim and has no facial hair.

He was wearing dark clothing.

Anyone with information is asked to call Thames Valley Police on 101.

Police mount anti-drugs operation at a town pub

A NEW anti-drug scheme in Bicester saw 254 people have their hands swabbed for illicit substances at a pub in the town.

Anyone who was found to have traces of drugs on their skin, or who refused to have their hands swabbed, were denied entry to The White Hart in Sheep Street on Friday, April 1.

Of the 254 customers tested, 29 were found to have had recent contact with drugs - six of these people were searched, although no drugs were found during the operation.

PC Vicky Lees, of Bicester Police Station, said: "We ran this operation as our Pub Watch members wanted to show that drug use will not be tolerated.

"As the success of this operation shows, the majority of those who were attending the venue had made no contact with drugs.

"We are keen to support the Pub Watch Scheme and carrying out operations like Friday will enhance the message that we do not tolerate drug use in Bicester.

"We would like to thank the staff of the White Hart for their full co-operation and we are looking forward to running this type of operation in the future."

Officers were on the doors of the pub between 8pm and 11pm.

Those found to have traces of drugs on their hands were given words of guidance by the police officers.

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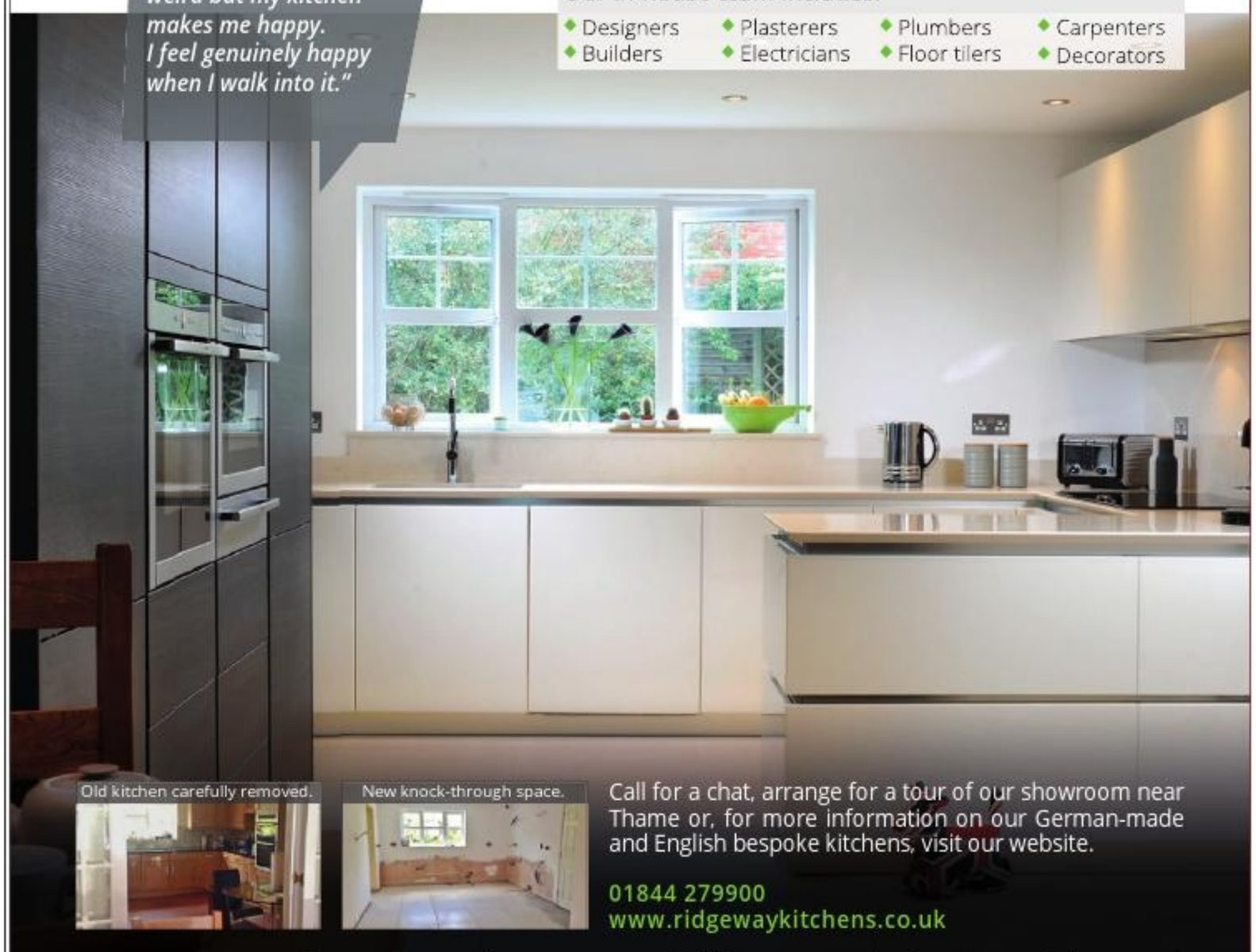

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Group hits out over 'promise' on child centres

• *Protesters campaigning against cuts outside Oxfordshire County Council's offices in February*

By **Alex Ballinger**

A CAMPAIGN group has accused a council of breaking what it claims was a promise to spend £2 million on keeping Oxfordshire children's centres open.

Oxfordshire County Council (OCC) plans to close 44 children's centres and early intervention hubs, replacing them with eight larger centres, in an attempt to cut over £300m from its budget by 2020.

But earlier this year the council opted to scrap £2m of the cuts to the children's services, however it has not yet announced how the money will be spent - and the council has come under fire from the Save Oxfordshire's Children's Centres group.

Campaign group spokesman, Charlie Payne, said: "It seems that the council is planning to break its promise in order to fund a service that no-one wants.

"Sixty councillors voted for this budget in good faith that £2m was to be put towards keeping our children's centres open.

"I would like Councillor Melinda Tilley (cabinet member for children, education and families) to answer to those councillors who voted for this money to be put towards children's centres and to the 19,500 children who use our children's centres."

OCC has proposed reorganising its children's services by offering a new 0-19 service operating from eight larger 'children and family centres' across the county.

These would be in Oxford (three), Banbury, Bicester, Witney, Abingdon and Didcot, and the new service would reduce the budget by £8m annually.

But the group said the council had broken its 'promise' to use the £2m to keep the centres open.

Cllr Mrs Tilley, said: "The money was to go to children services, not children's centres. That was what passed in the budget.

"That's going to enable us to help set up the eight new children and family centres we need to build.

"We're doing everything we can to keep as many as possible open. That might include seed funding from that money."

A decision on how the £2m will be spent is likely to be made at a cabinet meeting on May 24.

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Celebrating life

OXFORD: A exhibition dedicated to the life and acheivements of Mother Teresa is set to open in Oxford this month.

The event comes after Pope Francis announced earlier this month she would become a saint in September.

It will be held from April 19 to 30 at The Oxford Oratory in Woodstock Road and is free to enter.

Thatch blaze

FARINGDON: Two cottages in a hamlet near Faringdon were badly damaged last Wednesday when their thatched roofs caught fire.

Fire crews were called to Compton Beauchamp at about 9.30pm to the rapidly spreading fire.

Ten fire engines and 60 firefighters tackled the blaze and to remove possessions to safety.

Jewellery stolen

OXFORD: Jewellery was stolen from a property in Ridgefield Road in Cowley last Tuesday.

Offenders gained entry by forcing entry through a front door and carried out a messy search between 6.30pm and 10.30pm .

An attempted burglary also took place in Hosker Close, Headington, on the same day at about 9pm.

A wheelie bin had been left lying on its side and a fence panel had been removed to make a gap.

The would-be burglars tried to smash a kitchen window to gain entry but failed.

Third man charged over a Headington bank raid

A THIRD suspect has been charged after a daylight bank robbery in Headington earlier this year when a 'substantial' amount of cash was stolen.

Ben Matthews, 29, of no fixed abode, was charged last Wednesday with one count of robbery after the incident on January 23.

Offenders entered Lloyds Bank in London Road at about 10.30am and demanded money, with one man wielding what is believed to have been a firearm.

The men fled along Stephen Road to a getaway vehicle.

Investigating officer Detective Sergeant Parsons, of Force CID in Oxford, said: "This was a frightening crime which took place in broad daylight on a Saturday morning.

"Although no one was injured, staff and customers are obviously shocked by the experience."

Matthews appeared before Oxford Magistrates' Court last Wednesday and has been remanded in custody.

He is due to appear at Oxford Crown Court on Friday, May 6.

Tyron Smith, 26, and a 16-year-old boy, who cannot be named for legal reasons, both of no fixed abode, have also been charged.

They are due to appear at Oxford Crown Court for trial on August 8. Smith has also been charged with one count of possession with intent to supply heroin.

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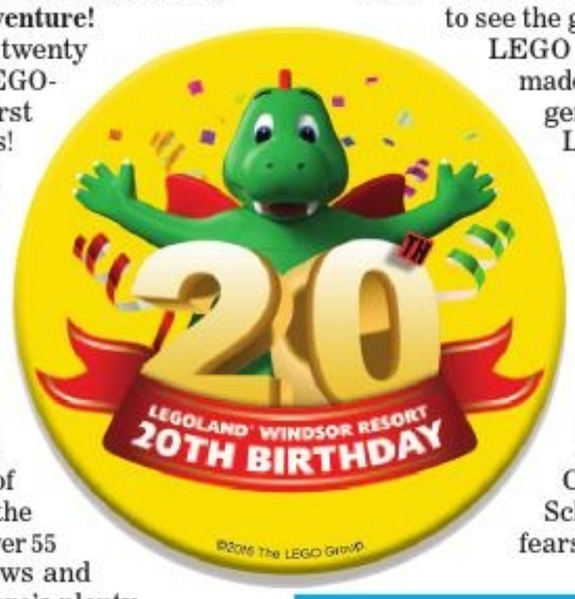

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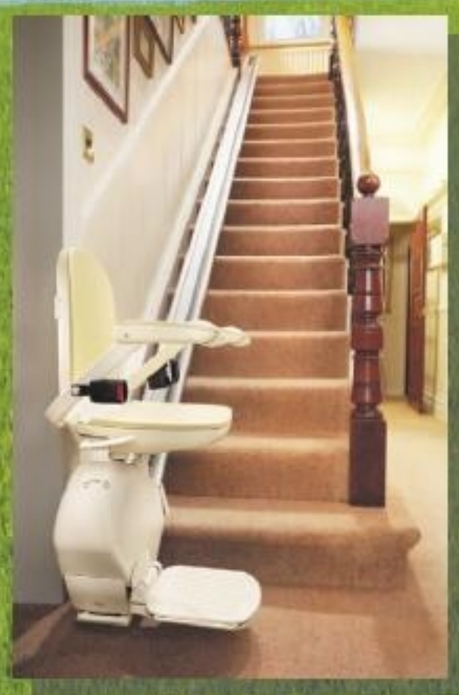

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Quick Clues Across

1 Rudeness (11)
9 Friend (3)
10 Spectator (9)
11 Attack (5)
13 Devotee (7)
14 Usual (6)
16 Lament (6)
18 A master (7)
19 Portent (5)
20 Essential (9)
21 Everything (3)
22 Legal proceedings (11)

Quick Clues Down

2 Sick (3)
3 Old measure (5)
4 Dangerous (6)
5 Novice (7)
6 Divert (9)
7 Nomination (11)
8 Fiercely (11)
12 Public vehicle(9)
15 Testifies (7)
17 Inlaid pattern of tiles (6)
19 Assignation (5)
21 Fuss (3)

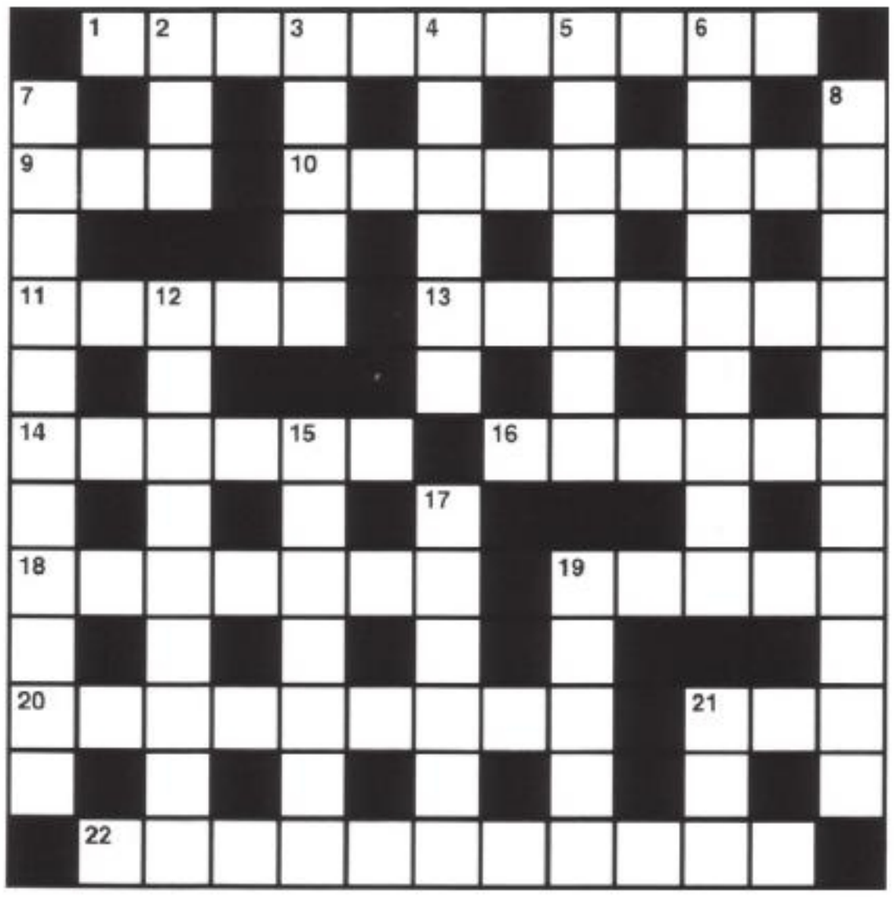
Scribble space

Cryptic Clues Across

1 One in a high position who is a guide to prevailing trends? (11)
9 Strangely uneven (3)
10 Any Pole is unsettled in these islands (9)
11 Heads of hair that give power, so it's said (5)
13 A superintendent set at odds with guardianship (7)
14 Refuse, for example, in a net that is tangled (6)
16 One having poems with electrical contents (6)
18 After a time nearly everything is on the side (7)
19 Outline - you can hardly see it (5)
20 He takes you in for treatment (9)
21 A curve in regular circles (3)
22 Plates broken, thrown after start of row - resulting in this medical treatment? (7,4)

Cryptic Clues Down

2 Close target (3)
3 What the secretary does to make an impression? (5)
4 Lets in mistakenly to enter in the register (6)
5 Is the youngster able to get a meal here? (7)
6 Her predictions were Greek to the Trojans, believe it or not (9)
7 A spot behind open land is much used (11)
8 Being in a container, so it's said, gives you white heat (11)
12 It's a strange thing to happen late in the day (9)
15 Marine animals making unusual rustle under end of net (7)
17 The mass he put on (6)
19 A musical elixir? (5)
21 A ship's idiot (3)



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1	5					7	4	
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7	5	9	1	4	6	2	3	8
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4	1	2	3	5	7	6	8	9
7	8	3	9	4	6	2	1	5
5	6	9	8	2	1	4	7	3

Quick Crossword

Across: 1 Discourtesy 9 Pal 10 Bystander 11 Onset 13 Fanatic 14 Normal 16 Bewail 18 Maestro 19 Token 20 Necessary 21 All 22 Prosecution

Down: 2 III 3 Cubit 4 Unsafe 5 Trainee 6 Sidetrack 7 Appointment 8 Truculently 12 Streetcar 15 Attests 17 Mosaic 19 Tryst 21 Ado

Cryptic Crossword

Across: 1 Weathercock 9 Odd 10 Polynesia 11 Manes 13 Steward 14 Negate 16 Anodes 18 Lateral 19 Trace 20 Charlatan 21 Arc 22 Plaster cast

Down: 2 End 3 Types 4 Enlist 5 Canteen 6 Cassandra 7 Commonplace 8 Candescence 12 Nightfall 15 Turtles 17 Clothe 19 Tonic 21 Ass

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7.30 EastEnders Johnny cannot believe how much his family have kept from him; (S) BBC News: Regional News (S)

8.00 MasterChef The last five amateurs compete for a quarter-final place, preparing food that represents who they are, before three of them cook again using either sweet or savoury ingredients. (S)

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11.45 This Week The past seven days in politics. (S)

AFTER 12
12.30 Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **12.35** BBC News (S)

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Eggheads, 6pm

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7.30 Grand Tours of Scotland Paul Murton travels by vintage bike through the Highlands. (S)

8.00 Jungle Animal Hospital: Natural World The work of staff at a jungle animal hospital in Guatemala, where a dedicated team nurse their exotic patients back to health and prepare them for their return to the wild. (S)

9.00 Line of Duty Steve Arnott approaches a retired vice chief about the allegations he has heard, only for Hastings to veto the questioning. New evidence leads AC-12 once again to "the Caddy". (S)

10.00 Live at the Apollo Alan Carr hosts, with guests Francesca Martinez and Nish Kumar. (S)(R)
10.30 Newsnight (S)

11.10 Weather (S)
11.15 Five Star Babies: Inside the Portland Hospital An exclusive glimpse inside the UK's only private maternity hospital. (S)(R)

12.15 The People v OJ Simpson: American Crime Story (S)(R) **1.00** Sign Zone: I'm Broken Inside: Sara's Story – Panorama (S)(R) **1.30** Tribes, Predators & Me (S)(R) **2.30** This Is BBC Two (S)

ITV

Emmerdale, 7pm

6.00 Good Morning Britain (S) **8.30 Lorraine** (S) **9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S)(R) **10.30 This Morning** (S) **12.30 Loose Women** (S) **1.30 ITV Lunchtime News;** Weather (S) **1.55 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **2.00 Judge Rinder** Real-life cases in a studio courtroom. (S) **3.00 Chopping Block** (S) **3.59 ITV Regional Weather** (S) **4.00 Tipping Point** Game show, presented by Ben Shephard. (S) **5.00 The Chase** Quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh. (S) **6.00 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **6.25 Party Election Broadcast 6.30 ITV Evening News;** Weather (S)

7.00 Emmerdale Gordon lies on the witness stand. (S)
7.30 Fraud – How Safe Is Your Money?: Tonight Jonathan Maitland investigates financial scams. (S)

8.00 Emmerdale Liv takes the stand. (S)
8.30 Bargain Shop Wars New series. Behind the scenes of discount fashion retailer Pep&Co. (S)

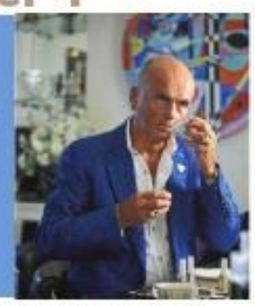
9.00 Paul O'Grady's Animal Orphans Part one of two. Paul O'Grady is in Borneo, visiting an orang-utan rehabilitation centre and learning about the damage that overfishing is doing to sea turtles' natural habitat. (S)

10.00 ITV News; Weather (S)
10.30 ITV Regional News; Weather (S)
10.40 UEFA Europa League Highlights Action from the quarter-final second-leg ties, including Liverpool v Borussia Dortmund at Anfield. (S)

11.40 Murder, She Wrote Grady's wedding is disrupted by a murder. (S)(R)

12.30 Jackpot247 3.00 Fraud – How Safe Is Your Money?: Tonight (S)(R) **3.25** ITV Nightscreen **5.05** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R)

Channel 4


Millionaires' Mansions: Designing Britain's Most Exclusive Homes, 8pm

6.00 Countdown (S)(R) **6.45 Will & Grace** (S)(R) **8.00 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **9.00 Frasier** (S)(R) **10.00 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA** (S)(R) **11.00 Shipping Wars** (S) **12.00 Channel 4 News** (S) **12.05 A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun** (S)(R) **2.10 Fifteen to One** General knowledge quiz. (S) **3.10 Countdown** With Dictionary Corner guest Alistair McGowan. (S) **4.00 Couples Come Dine with Me** Three Southampton couples compete for the cash prize of £1,000. (S) **5.00 Four in a Bed** (S) **5.30 Too Many Cooks** (S) **6.00 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **6.30 Hollyoaks** (S)

7.00 Channel 4 News (S)

8.00 Millionaires' Mansions: Designing Britain's Most Exclusive Homes Luxury design, including a custom-fitted bed company and a man who creates unique fragrances for clients' homes. (S)

9.00 British Army Girls The women continue their military training, only for Chloe Delaney and Jessica May to be plagued by injury, and after missing sessions they worry their bodies may let them down. (S)

10.00 Alan Carr: Chatty Man Eddie Izzard talks about his latest marathon endurance challenge and US director Jon Favreau has the lowdown on his live-action remake of The Jungle Book. Music by Shawn Mendes. (S)

11.05 Gogglebox Capturing the households' instant reactions to what they are watching on TV from the comfort of their own sofas. (S)(R)

12.05 Sex Box (S)(R) **1.05** Obsessive Compulsive Cleaners (S)(R) **2.00** The Great Benefits Row: Channel 4 Dispatches (S)(R) **2.30** Unreported World (S)(R) **3.00** Location, Location, Location (S)(R)

Channel 5

Medical Mysteries, 8pm

6.00 Milkshake! 9.15 The Wright Stuff 11.15 Cowboy Builders (S)(R) **12.10 5 News Lunchtime** (S) **12.15 GPs: Behind Closed Doors** (S)(R) **1.15 Home and Away** (S) **1.45 Neighbours** (S) **2.15 NCIS** A marine colonel is killed in an explosion. (S)(R) **3.15 Access** Showbiz news and gossip. (S) **3.25 FILM My Gal Sunday (2013) (12)** Crime drama, starring Rachel Blanchard. (S) **5.00 5 News at 5** (S) **5.30 Neighbours** Aaron makes a shocking confession to Nate. (S)(R) **6.00 Home and Away** Ash and Andy decide to open a garage. (S)(R) **6.30 5 News Tonight** (S)

7.00 Ben Fogle: New Lives in the Wild UK Ben Fogle meets a man who runs a guest house on Fair Isle off the coast of Scotland, having moved there 10 years ago from America; (S)(R) 5 News Update (S)

8.00 Medical Mysteries A woman whose stroke-like attacks have left her speaking in a foreign accent and another whose skin condition has turned her into a human sketch pad; (S) 5 News Update (S)

9.00 Trauma Doctors: Every Second Counts The medics are called to two stabbings and a motorcyclist who has sustained a head injury. Last in the series. (S)

10.00 Botched Up Bodies A woman who suffered disfigured lips and an infection-riddled face after having filler injections and a man left toothless following a succession of disastrous dental procedures. (S)(R)

11.00 Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away An eviction in Lancashire proves to be the most confrontational case agents Stewart and Iain have ever faced, while Brian and Del chase £12,000 of debt in Surrey. (S)(R)

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ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6
6.00 Pixie Lott: The Hot Desk **6.10** Planet's Funniest Animals **6.30** Dinner Date **7.20** The Ellen DeGeneres Show **8.00** Emmerdale **8.30** Coronation Street **9.00** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **9.30** Psych **10.20** Royal Pains **11.15** Dinner Date **12.15** Emmerdale **12.40** Coronation Street **1.15** You've Been Framed! **1.45** The Ellen DeGeneres Show **2.35** The Jeremy Kyle Show **5.50** Take Me Out **7.00** You've Been Framed! **7.30** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **8.00** Two and a Half Men **9.00** Scorpion **10.00** Celebrity Juice **10.50** @elevenish **11.20** Family Guy **12.20** American Dad! **1.20** Plebs **1.50** @elevenish **2.15** Teleshopping **5.45** ITV2 Nightscreen

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10
6.00 Movies Now **6.10** Doctor at Large **6.35** Heartbeat **7.35** Where the Heart Is **8.40** The Royal **9.40** Judge Judy **11.00** The Darling Buds of May **12.05** Murder, She Wrote **1.05** Heartbeat **2.10** The Royal **3.10** Where the Heart Is **4.15** Doctor at Large **4.50** On the Buses **5.55** Heartbeat **7.00** Murder, She Wrote **8.00** Lewis **10.00** Prime Suspect IV **12.15** The Darling Buds of May **1.10** Where the Heart Is **2.05** ITV3 Nightscreen

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9
7.00 World News Today; Weather **7.30** The Sky at Night **8.00** Scotland's Vital Spark: The Clyde Puffer **9.00** BBC: The Secret Files 2 **10.00** Timeshift: Dear Censor **11.00** Treasures of Chinese Porcelain **12.00** The Joy of the Guitar Riff **1.00** The Kinks at the BBC **2.00** Pappano's Classical Voices **3.00** BBC: The Secret Files 2 **4.00** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28
6.00 Charmed **7.35** Hollyoaks **8.05** Rules of Engagement **9.00** Rude(ish) Tube **10.00** Baby Daddy **11.00** Charmed **1.00** How I Met Your Mother **2.00** The Big Bang Theory **3.00** Baby Daddy **4.00** How I Met Your Mother **5.00** Rude(ish) Tube **6.00** The Big Bang Theory **7.00** Hollyoaks **7.30** The Goldbergs **8.00** The Big Bang Theory **9.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **10.00** The Inbetweeners **11.10** The Big Bang Theory **12.05** Rude Tube **1.10** The Inbetweeners **2.15** Empire **3.00** Rude Tube **3.55** 2 Broke Girls **4.15** New Girl **4.40** Rules of Engagement

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14
8.55 Jamie's Super Food **9.35** Food Unwrapped **10.05** Four in a Bed **12.50** Come Dine with Me **3.35** A New Life in the Sun **4.40** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **6.50** Penelope Keith's Hidden Villages **7.55** Grand Designs **9.00** The Good Wife **10.00** Thicker Than Water **11.20** 24 Hours in A&E **12.25** Embarrassing Bodies: Back to the Clinic **1.25** Grand Designs **2.35** 24 Hours in A&E **3.35** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15
11.00 Thunder Bay (1953) (U) **1.05** Drums Across the River (1954) (PG) **2.40** The Desert Rats (1953) (U) **4.25** The Cockleshell Heroes (1955) (U) **6.25** The Way Back (2010) (12) **9.00** Zombieland (2009) (15) **10.40** Filth (2013) (18) **12.35** Q&A (1990) (18) **3.15** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12
7.00 Storage Hunters **7.20** The Best of Top Gear **9.00** American Pickers **11.00** Storage Hunters **12.00** The Best of Top Gear **2.00** American Pickers **3.00** Sin City Motors **4.00** Storage Hunters **5.00** Top Gear **6.00** American Pickers **9.00** Have I Got a Bit More Old News for You **10.00** QI XL **11.00** Mock the Week **12.20** Russell Howard's Good News **1.00** 8 Out of 10 Cats **2.00** Have I Got a Bit More Old News for You **3.00** Never Mind the Buzzcocks **4.00** Home Shopping

SKY1 SKY: 106
6.00 The Dog Whisperer **7.00** Monkey Life **8.00** RSPCA Animal Rescue **9.00** Modern Family **10.00** Hawaii Five-0 **12.00** Forever **1.00** Hawaii Five-0 **3.00** Modern Family **4.00** Futurama **5.00** The Simpsons **5.30** Futurama **6.30** The Simpsons **8.00** DC's Legends of Tomorrow **9.00** Colony **10.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo **11.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **12.00** Hawaii Five-0 **2.00** Forever **3.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response **4.00** Stargate SG-1

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108
6.00 Fish Town **7.00** The Guest Wing **8.00** House **10.00** The West Wing **11.00** Blue Bloods **12.00** Cold Case **1.00** Without a Trace **2.00** Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets **3.00** House **5.00** The West Wing **6.00** Blue Bloods **7.00** Cold Case **8.00** Without a Trace **9.00** A Girl in the River: The Price of Forgiveness **10.00** FILM: Kill Bill: Vol 1 (2003) (18) **12.10** Last Week Tonight with John Oliver **12.45** Camping **1.50** Girls **2.25** Togetherness **3.00** Six Feet Under **4.10** Fish Town **5.00** The Guest Wing

W SKY: 109
6.15 Who Do You Think You Are? USA **7.00** Emergency Bikers **8.00** MasterChef Australia **9.00** Battlechefs **10.00** The Bill **11.00** Tipping Point **12.00** Wanted Down Under **1.00** My Dream Home **2.00** Battlechefs **3.00** Who Do You Think You Are? USA **4.00** Wanted Down Under **5.00** My Dream Home **6.00** Tipping Point **7.00** Battlechefs **8.00** One Born: What Happened Next? **10.00** EastEnders **10.40** Life Is Toff **11.20** Motorway Cops **12.40** Emergency Bikers **1.30** Saving Hope **2.15** Being Human USA **3.00** Home Shopping

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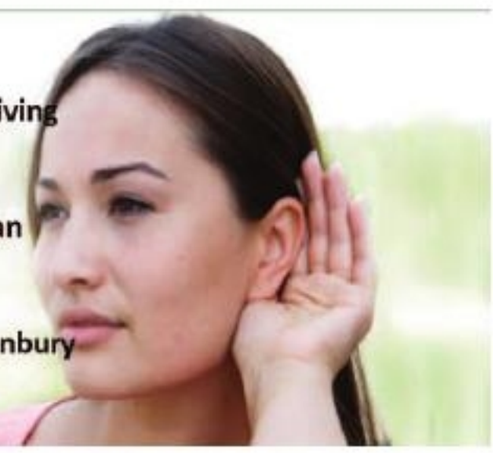

Friday April 15th

BBC1

Have I Got News for You, 9pm

6.00 Breakfast (S) **9.15 Fake Britain** (S)(R) **10.00 Homes Under the Hammer** (S)(R) **11.00 The Sheriffs Are Coming** (S) **11.45 Thief Trackers** (S)(R) **12.15 Bargain Hunt** (S) **1.00 BBC News at One; Weather** (S) **1.30 BBC Regional News and Weather** (S) **1.45 Doctors** (S) **2.15 Think Tank** Quiz show, hosted by Bill Turnbull. Last in the series. (S) **3.00 Escape to the Country** (S) **3.45 Money for Nothing** (S)(R) **4.30 Put Your Money Where Your Mouth Is** (S) **5.15 Pointless** (S)(R) **6.00 BBC News at Six; Weather** (S) **6.30 BBC Regional News Programmes** (S)

7.00 **The One Show** Hosted by Alex Jones. (S)
7.30 **A Question of Sport** With Jamie Heaslip, Andy Sullivan, Jodie Williams and Lucy Bronze; (S)(R) BBC News; Regional News (S)

8.00 **EastEnders** Johnny tries to bring his family back together before he leaves Walford again. (S)
8.30 **MasterChef** The last quarter-final. (S)

9.00 **Have I Got News for You** Hosted by Tracey Ullman. (S)
9.30 **Boomers** A newly single Mick returns from Spain. (S)

10.00 **BBC News at Ten** (S)
10.25 **BBC Regional News and Weather;** (S) National Lottery Update (S)
10.35 **The Graham Norton Show** With Meryl Streep, Hugh Grant and Keeley Hawes. (S)

11.20 **Eddie Izzard: 27 Marathons in 27 Days** Documentary following the 54-year-old comedian's Comic Relief feat – to run 27 marathons in 27 days across South Africa. (S)

AFTER 12
12.25 FILM **City Slickers II: The Legend of Curly's Gold (1994) (12)** Comedy Western sequel, starring Billy Crystal. (S) **2.15** Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **2.20** BBC News (S)

BBC2

Gardeners' World, 8.30pm

6.30 Escape to the Country (S)(R) **7.15 Think Tank** (S)(R) **8.00 Sign Zone: Sea Cities** (S)(R) **9.00 Victoria Derbyshire** (S) **11.00 BBC Newsroom Live** (S) **12.00 Daily Politics** (S) **1.00 James Martin's Food Map of Britain** (S)(R) **1.25 The Best Dishes Ever** (S)(R) **1.55 Paul Hollywood's Pies & Puds** (S)(R) **2.25 The Indian Doctor** (S)(R) **3.55 Coast Australia** (S)(R) **4.45 Great British Railway Journeys** (S)(R) **5.15 Flog It!** (S)(R) **6.00 Eggheads** (S) **6.30 Into the Wild with Gordon Buchanan** TV journalist John Simpson joins the naturalist in search of the Scottish wildcat. Last in the series. (S)

7.30 **Food Detectives** New series. Advice for making the best food choices. (S)

8.00 **Celebrity Mastermind** With Gemma Cairney, Anthony Ogogo, Tina Malone and Dominic Laurie. (S)(R)
8.30 **Gardeners' World** Monty Don develops his own cutting garden. (S)

9.00 **Britain's Biggest Superyachts: Chasing Perfection** Documentary following events at the UK's largest superyacht builder. (S)

10.00 **Two Doors Down** A planned night watching tennis leads to consternation. (S)
10.30 **Newsnight** (S)

11.00 **Weather** (S)
11.05 FILM **Transsiberian (2008) (15)** Thriller, with Woody Harrelson and Emily Mortimer. (S)

12.50 **Sign Zone: Question Time** (S)(R) **1.50** Inside Obama's White House (S)(R) **2.50** This Is BBC Two (S)

ITV

Coronation Street, 7.30pm

6.00 Good Morning Britain (S) **8.30 Lorraine** (S) **9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S)(R) **10.30 This Morning** (S) **12.30 Loose Women** (S) **1.30 ITV Lunchtime News;** Weather (S) **1.55 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **2.00 Judge Rinder** Real-life cases in a studio courtroom. (S) **3.00 Chopping Block** Asian-inspired dishes with a twist. (S) **3.59 ITV Regional Weather** (S) **4.00 Tipping Point** Game show, presented by Ben Shephard. (S) **5.00 The Chase** Quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh. (S) **6.00 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **6.30 ITV Evening News;** Weather (S)

7.00 **Emmerdale** The verdict in Gordon's court case is revealed. (S)
7.30 **Coronation Street** Anna is furious to realise Izzy is still taking drugs while in charge of her son. (S)

8.00 **Best Walks with a View with Julia Bradbury** The first five miles of The Pennine Way. Last in the series. (S)
8.30 **Coronation Street** Izzy accidentally makes matters worse for Gary. (S)

9.00 **Billy Connolly's Tracks Across America** The comedian travels from Texas to New York, on a route taking in Louisiana and Alabama. Last in the series. (S)

10.00 **ITV News;** Weather (S)
10.30 **ITV Regional News;** Weather (S)
10.40 FILM **Licence to Kill (1989) (15)** Spy thriller, starring Timothy Dalton and Robert Davi. (S)

1.10 Jackpot247 3.00 Murder, She Wrote (S)(R) **3.50** ITV Nightscreen

Channel 4

Travel Man: 48 Hours in Berlin, 8.30pm

6.00 Countdown (S)(R) **6.45 Will & Grace** (S)(R) **8.00 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **9.00 Frasier** (S)(R) **10.00 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA** (S)(R) **11.00 Shipping Wars** (S) **12.00 Channel 4 News** (S) **12.05 A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun** (S)(R) **1.10 A Place in the Sun: Home or Away** (S)(R) **2.10 Fifteen to One** General knowledge quiz. (S) **3.10 Countdown** (S) **4.00 Couples Come Dine with Me** Three couples host dinner parties in Nottinghamshire. (S) **5.00 Four in a Bed** (S) **5.30 Too Many Cooks** (S) **6.00 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **6.30 Hollyoaks** (S)

7.00 **Channel 4 News** (S)
7.30 **Unreported World** A tour of Chicago, America's murder capital. (S)

8.00 **Food Unwrapped** Investigating the high price of almond butter. Last in the series. (S)
8.30 **Travel Man: 48 Hours in Berlin** Richard Ayoade and comedian Roisin Conaty explore Berlin. Last in the series. (S)

9.00 **Gogglebox** Capturing the households' instant reactions to what they are watching on TV from the comfort of their own sofas. (S)

10.00 **Lookalikes** Some of the lookalikes threaten to quit the agency. (S)
10.35 **First Dates** The latest diners looking for love include Ben and Charlotte who have confidence issues. (S)(R)

11.40 **Rude Tube** Alex Zane counts down the top 50 funniest family-based internet videos, including the best way to wake a teenager and the most cringeworthy wedding dance. (S)

12.40 FILM **12 Rounds (2009) (15)** (S) **2.30** Toast of London (S)(R) **3.00** Toast of London (S)(R) **3.30** The Shopper's Guide to Saving Money (S)(R) **3.55** Kirstie's Vintage Gems (S)(R)

Channel 5

The Gadget Show, 7pm

6.00 Milkshake! 9.15 The Wright Stuff Panel discussion. **11.15 Beware! Cowboy Builders Abroad** (S)(R) **12.10 5 News Lunchtime** (S) **12.15 Police Interceptors: Under Attack** (S)(R) **1.15 Home and Away** (S) **1.45 Neighbours** (S) **2.15 NCIS** A marine intelligence officer is murdered. (S)(R) **3.15** FILM **Assumed Killer (2013) (12)** Thriller, starring Barbie Castro. (S) **5.00 5 News at 5** (S) **5.30 Neighbours** Nate reels from Aaron's shock confession. (S)(R) **6.00 Home and Away** Kat and Dylan invite Zac in for questioning. (S)(R) **6.30 5 News Tonight** (S)

7.00 **The Gadget Show** Jon Bentley and his tech testers find out which gadgets can help people to get slim and trim in time for their summer holidays; (S) 5 News Update (S)

8.00 **Henry VIII and His Six Wives** New series. Historians Suzannah Lipscomb and Dan Jones' perspectives of Henry and each of his six queens; (S) 5 News Update (S)

9.00 **Inside Buckingham Palace: The Queen's Worst Year** An in-depth look at the events of 1992, the year Her Majesty famously dubbed her "annus horribilis", with expert analysis from assorted contributors. (S)

10.00 **Elizabeth II: 90 Glorious Years** Documentary looking back at the reign of Her Majesty the Queen, as she celebrates her 90th birthday. (S)

11.00 **Secrets of the Palace Pets** Documentary exploring the history of the royal family and their animals, from the menagerie kept in the Tower of London in the 13th century to Prince William's dog. (S)(R)

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ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6
6.00 Blue: The Hot Desk **6.10** Planet's Funniest Animals **6.30** Dinner Date **7.20** The Ellen DeGeneres Show **8.00** Emmerdale **9.00** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **9.30** Psych **10.20** Royal Pains **11.15** Dinner Date **12.15** Emmerdale **1.15** You've Been Framed! **1.45** The Ellen DeGeneres Show **2.35** The Jeremy Kyle Show **5.50** Take Me Out **7.00** You've Been Framed! **7.30** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **8.00** Two and a Half Men **9.00** FILM: Hot Fuzz (2007) (15) **10.00** FYI Daily **10.05** FILM: Hot Fuzz (2007) (15) **11.25** Family Guy **12.25** American Dad! **1.25** The Cleveland Show **2.10** McBusted: The Hot Desk **2.20** Teleshopping **5.50** ITV2 Nightscreen

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10
6.00 Movies Now **6.10** Doctor at Large **6.35** Heartbeat **7.35** Where the Heart Is **8.35** The Royal **9.40** Judge Judy **11.00** The Darling Buds of May **12.05** Murder, She Wrote **1.05** Heartbeat **2.05** The Royal **3.10** Where the Heart Is **4.15** Doctor at Large **4.50** On the Buses **5.55** Heartbeat **6.55** Murder, She Wrote **8.00** Agatha Christie's Marple **10.00** Prime Suspect IV **12.15** FILM: Changeling (2008) (15) **1.15** FYI Daily **1.20** FILM: Changeling (2008) (15) **2.40** Long Lost Family **3.35** Rory Bremner's Great British Views **5.15** Judge Judy **5.35** ITV3 Nightscreen

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9
7.00 World News Today; Weather **7.30** BBC Young Musician 2016 **9.00** The People's History of Pop **10.00** Rock 'n' Roll Britannia **11.00** Sings Elvis **12.00** Chuck Berry in Concert **1.00** The People's History of Pop **2.00** Rock 'n' Roll Britannia **3.00** Sings Elvis **4.00** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28
6.00 Charmed **7.35** Hollyoaks **8.05** Rules of Engagement **9.00** Rude(ish) Tube **10.00** Baby Daddy **11.00** Charmed **1.00** How I Met Your Mother **2.00** The Big Bang Theory **3.00** Baby Daddy **4.00** How I Met Your Mother **5.00** Rude(ish) Tube **6.00** The Big Bang Theory **7.00** Hollyoaks **7.30** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **8.00** The Big Bang Theory **9.00** FILM: Easy A (2010) (15) **10.50** The Big Bang Theory **11.50** Tattoo Fixers **12.55** The Goldbergs **1.25** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **1.55** Rude Tube **2.50** Tattoo Fixers **3.45** Rules of Engagement

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14
8.55 Jamie's Super Food **9.35** Food Unwrapped **10.05** Four in a Bed **12.50** Come Dine with Me **3.35** A New Life in the Sun **4.40** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **6.50** Penelope Keith's Hidden Villages **7.55** Grand Designs **9.00** Blue Eyes **10.10** 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown **12.20** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **1.20** Grand Designs **2.20** The Good Wife **3.20** Kirstie's Vintage Gems **3.35** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15
11.00 Damn the Defiant! (1962) (PG) **1.05** Flying Tigers (1942) (PG) **3.05** The Siege at Red River (1954) (PG) **4.50** 3:10 to Yuma (1957) (PG) **6.40** The Women (2008) (12) **9.00** Predator (1987) (18) Sci-fi thriller, starring Arnold Schwarzenegger. **11.10** Terminator 2: Judgment Day (1991) (15) Sci-fi action adventure sequel, with Arnold Schwarzenegger. **1.50** The Innkeepers (2011) (15) **3.55** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12
7.00 Storage Hunters **7.20** Top Gear **9.00** American Pickers **11.00** Storage Hunters **12.00** Top Gear **2.00** American Pickers **3.00** Sin City Motors **4.00** Storage Hunters **5.00** Top Gear **6.00** American Pickers **8.00** Ice Road Truckers **9.00** FILM: Beverly Hills Cop II (1987) (15) Comedy thriller sequel, starring Eddie Murphy. **11.00** Not Going Out **12.55** 8 Out of 10 Cats **2.55** Never Mind the Buzzcocks **4.00** Home Shopping

SKY1 SKY: 106
6.00 The Dog Whisperer **7.00** Monkey Life **8.00** RSPCA Animal Rescue **9.00** Modern Family **10.00** Hawaii Five-0 **12.00** Forever **1.00** Hawaii Five-0 **3.00** Modern Family **4.00** Futurama **5.00** The Simpsons **5.30** Futurama **6.30** The Simpsons **8.00** Supergirl **9.00** The Five **11.00** Hawaii Five-0 **2.00** Forever **3.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response **4.00** Stargate SG-1

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108
6.00 Fish Town **7.00** The Guest Wing **8.00** House **10.00** The West Wing **11.00** Blue Bloods **12.00** Cold Case **1.00** Without a Trace **2.00** Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets **3.00** House **5.00** The West Wing **6.00** Blue Bloods **7.00** Cold Case **8.00** Without a Trace **9.00** Game of Thrones **11.15** The Wire **1.45** Six Feet Under **3.00** 100 Code **4.00** Fish Town **5.00** The Guest Wing

W SKY: 109
6.00 Betty White's Off Their Rockers **6.25** Who Do You Think You Are? USA **7.20** EastEnders **8.00** MasterChef Australia **9.00** Battlechefs **10.00** The Bill **11.00** Tipping Point **12.00** Wanted Down Under **1.00** My Dream Home **2.00** Battlechefs **3.00** Who Do You Think You Are? USA **4.00** Wanted Down Under **5.00** My Dream Home **6.00** Tipping Point **7.00** Battlechefs **8.00** One Born: What Happened Next? **9.00** Grimm **10.00** EastEnders **10.40** FILM: Air America (1990) (15) Vietnam War comedy adventure, with Mel Gibson and Robert Downey Jr. **12.45** Emergency Bikers **1.40** Saving Hope **2.25** Derren Brown: Trick of the Mind **3.00** Home Shopping

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Saturday April 16th

BBC1

Casualty, 8.45pm

6.00 Breakfast (S) **10.00 Saturday Kitchen Live** (S) **11.30 MasterChef** (S)(R) **12.00 BBC News;** Weather (S) **12.10 Football Focus** (S) **12.50 Saturday Sportsday** (S) **1.00 Live Snooker: The World Championship** The afternoon session on day one at the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield. (S) **4.30 Final Score** (S) **5.10 BBC News** (S) **5.20 BBC Regional News; Weather** (S) **5.25 Can't Touch This** Obstacle course game show, presented by Zoe Ball and Ashley Banjo. (S) **6.15 Pointless Celebrities** A fashion-themed edition of the unorthodox quiz show. (S)

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7.00 Michael McIntyre's Big Show New series. An evening of comedy and music at London's Theatre Royal. (S)
7.55 The National Lottery: Win Your Wish List Game show. (S)

8

8.45 Casualty Rita's past comes back to haunt her during a shift in the ED. (S)

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9.35 Mrs Brown's Boys The family awaits the fruits of its fraud. (S)(R)

10

10.05 BBC News; Weather (S)
10.25 Match of the Day Gary Lineker presents highlights of the latest Premier League matches, including Norwich City v Sunderland at Carrow Road; (S) National Lottery Update (S)

11

11.45 Live at the Apollo Stand-up comedy from the Hammersmith Apollo. (S)(R)

AFTER 12

12.20 Snooker: World Championship Extra (S) **3.20** World Snooker: Crucible Classics (S) **5.20** Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **5.25** BBC News (S)

BBC2

Live Snooker: The World Championship, 10am

6.25 FILM The Magic Box (1951) (U) (S) **8.10 Natural World** (S)(R) **9.00 Homes Under the Hammer** (S)(R) **10.00 Live Snooker: The World Championship** (S) **12.00 Rick Stein: From Venice to Istanbul** (S)(R) **1.00 FILM Lust for Life (1956) (PG)** (S) **3.00 Escape to the Country** (S)(R) **3.45 Flog It!** (S)(R) **4.30 Live Snooker: The World Championship** The afternoon session on day one at the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield. (S) **5.30 Gardeners' World** (S)(R) **6.00 Bake Off: Creme de la Creme** Chef Tom Kerridge hosts the search for Britain's best team of pastry chefs. (S)(R)

7.00 Live Snooker: The World Championship The concluding session on the opening day at the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield, where the first-round match featuring Stuart Bingham reaches a conclusion. (S)

8.00 Grand Tours of Scotland Paul Murton paddles a canoe to Islay. (S)
8.30 Dad's Army The hapless soldiers tackle a fire. (S)(R)

9.00 Tom Jones' 1950s: The Decade That Made Me Tom Jones recalls his formative years in South Wales, in the first of four retrospective documentaries. (S)

10.00 Shirley Biopic of Shirley Bassey, charting the singer's early career, from her roots in 1930s Cardiff to the start of her rise to stardom in the 1960s. Ruth Negga stars. (S)(R)

11.10 Snooker: The World Championship Highlights of the opening day from Sheffield. (S)

12.00 FILM First Snow (2006) (18) Thriller, starring Guy Pearce. (S) **1.35 FILM Freestyle (2010) (12)** (S) **2.55** This Is BBC Two (S) **5.30** Great British Garden Revival (R)

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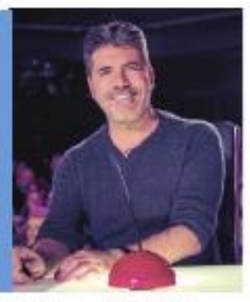
Britain's Got Talent, 8pm

6.00 CITV 8.25 ITV News (S) **8.30 Weekend** (S) **9.25 Murder, She Wrote** (S)(R) **11.20 The Jeremy Kyle Show** Guests air their differences. (S)(R) **12.20 ITV News;** (S) ITV Regional News. (S) **12.30 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S)(R) **1.30 FILM Superman (1978) (PG)** Comic-strip adventure, starring Christopher Reeve. (S) **4.25 The Wine Show** New series. Guide to wine, with Matthew Goode and Matthew Rhys. (S) **5.30 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **5.45 ITV News** (S) **6.00 You've Been Framed! Goes Wild** A selection of the wildest clips submitted to the show. (S)

7.00 Bang on the Money New series. Rickie Haywood-Williams and Melvin Odoom host the show in which two teams of friends aim to hit a target number in a series of physical and mental challenges. (S)

8.00 Britain's Got Talent Simon Cowell, Amanda Holden, Alesha Dixon and David Walliams take their seats on the judges' panel for the second round of auditions. (S)

9.20 Play to the Whistle New series. Holly Willoughby returns with the sports-themed comedy panel show. (S)

10.05 ITV News; Weather (S)
10.20 FILM 2 Fast 2 Furious (2003) (12) A disgraced cop is given a chance to redeem himself by going undercover to bring a drug trafficker to justice. Thriller sequel, with Paul Walker. (S)

12.15 Jackpot247 3.00 Murder, She Wrote (S)(R) **3.50** ITV Nightscreen

Channel 4

Homes by the Sea, 5.30pm

6.10 The King of Queens (S)(R) **6.35 Freeride World Tour** (S) **7.05 The Grid** (S) **7.30 MSA British Rally Championship** (S) **8.00 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **9.00 The Morning Line** (S) **10.00 The Big Bang Theory** (S)(R) **11.30 Come Dine with Me** (S)(R) **12.30 Formula 1: Chinese Grand Prix Qualifying Highlights** (S) **2.00 Channel 4 Racing** Live coverage from Ayr and Newbury. (S) **4.30 A Place in the Sun: Summer Sun** New series. More would-be homeowners seek holiday properties. (S) **5.30 Homes by the Sea** (S) **6.30 Channel 4 News** (S)

7.00 FILM Ender's Game (2013) (12) Premiere. A gifted boy is trained to lead Earth's military forces into battle against the threat of an alien attack. Sci-fi adventure, starring Asa Butterfield. (S)

9.15 FILM Die Hard 2 (1990) (18) A lone cop battles terrorists who have taken over an airport to force the release of a convicted drug baron. Action thriller sequel, starring Bruce Willis and Bonnie Bedelia. (S)

11.40 Jimmy Carr: Laughing & Joking Stand-up comedy from London's Hammersmith Apollo. (S)(R)

12.35 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA (S)(R) **1.30** Hollyoaks (S)(R) **3.40** Kirstie's Handmade Treasures (S)(R) **4.00** Selling Houses with Amanda Lamb (S) **4.55** Location, Location, Location (S)(R)

Channel 5

NCIS, 8pm

6.00 Milkshake! 8.55 Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles Mikey and Casey Jones make friends with a teenage mutant skateboarding gecko. (S) **9.30 The Saturday Show Live** Topical show looking at the week's headlines. (S) **11.30 Dogs Make You Laugh Out Loud 2** Another selection of the most popular videos featuring dogs. (S)(R) **12.25 Puppies Make You Laugh Out Loud** Clip show featuring entertaining pups. (S)(R) **1.25 Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away** (S)(R) **6.10 NCIS: Los Angeles** Eric goes undercover when a rocket engine expert is killed. LL Cool J stars. (S)

7.05 NCIS: New Orleans A death during a city-wide blackout is connected to a gang of looters. (S)

8.00 NCIS DiNozzo, Bishop and her husband investigate a terrorist threat. (S)
8.55 5 News Weekend (S)

9.00 The Championship: Football League Tonight Kelly Cates and George Riley present extended highlights of the weekend's matches from the Championship, including Birmingham City v Burnley. (S)

10.00 Goal Rush: Football League Tonight A round-up of all the goals from League One and League Two. (S)
10.30 NCIS: Greatest Ever Episodes Part two of two. Gibbs goes after Ari. (S)(R)

11.25 NCIS: Greatest Ever Episodes A man's remains indicate he was buried alive. (S)(R)

DIGITAL

ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6
6.00 Emmerdale **8.30** Coronation Street **11.00** Britain's Got Talent **12.25** Britain's Got More Talent **1.30** The Almost Impossible Gameshow **2.30** Scorpion **3.30** FILM: Small Soldiers (1998) (PG) Children's adventure, with Kirsten Dunst. **4.35** FYI Daily **4.40** FILM: Small Soldiers (1998) (PG) Concluded. **5.40** FILM: Scooby-Doo (2002) (PG) Live-action comedy adventure, starring Sarah Michelle Gellar. **6.55** FYI Daily **7.00** FILM: Scooby-Doo (2002) (PG) Concluded. **7.30** FILM: Mr Bean's Holiday (2007) (PG) Comedy, starring Rowan Atkinson. **8.30** FYI Daily **8.35** FILM: Mr Bean's Holiday (2007) (PG) Concluded. **9.20** Britain's Got More Talent **10.25** Celebrity Juice **11.10** Family Guy **12.40** American Dad! **1.35** The Cleveland Show **2.25** @elevenish **2.50** Teleshopping **5.50** ITV2 Nightscreen

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10
6.00 Judge Judy **6.40** On the Buses **7.35** Where the Heart Is **9.50** Goodnight Mister Tom **12.00** A Touch of Frost **1.55** Inspector Morse **6.20** FILM: Columbo: Lady in Waiting (1971) (PG) Crime drama, starring Peter Falk and Leslie Nielsen. **8.00** Foyle's War **10.00** Lewis **12.00** Blue Murder **1.30** Doctor at Large **2.00** ITV3 Nightscreen **2.30** Teleshopping

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9
7.00 A History of Ancient Britain **8.00** Human Planet **9.00** Follow the Money **11.00** Dusty Springfield at the BBC **12.00** Definitely Dusty **1.00** Queens of Soul **2.00** Classic Soul at the BBC **3.00** Dusty Springfield at the BBC **4.00** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28
6.00 Rude(ish) Tube **7.35** Jane the Virgin **8.35** Made in Chelsea **9.35** How I Met Your Mother **10.30** Suburgatory **11.30** Baby Daddy **12.30** How I Met Your Mother **1.30** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **2.30** The Goldbergs **4.00** FILM: Bride Wars (2009) (12) Comedy, starring Kate Hudson and Anne Hathaway. **5.45** Rude(ish) Tube Shorts **6.00** The Big Bang Theory **9.00** FILM: Get Him to the Greek (2010) (15) Comedy, starring Russell Brand. **11.10** Gogglebox **12.50** Rude Tube **1.55** The IT Crowd **2.50** How I Met Your Mother **3.35** Gogglebox **4.20** Revenge

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14
8.55 Kirstie's Vintage Gems **9.15** Time Team **11.20** Jamie's Money Saving Meals: Extra Portions **12.25** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **2.35** Four in a Bed **5.20** Come Dine with Me **8.00** The Queen's Coronation: Behind Palace Doors **9.00** How to Be Queen: 63 Years and Counting **10.40** 24 Hours in A&E **12.50** 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown **1.55** Blue Eyes **3.05** Jamie's 15 Minute Meals **3.35** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15
11.00 Destry Rides Again (1939) (U) Comedy Western, with James Stewart and Marlene Dietrich. **1.00** Clueless (1995) (12) Comedy, starring Alicia Silverstone. **3.00** A Monster in Paris (2011) (U) Animated comedy, with the voice of Vanessa Paradis. **4.45** Imagine That (2009) (PG) Fantasy comedy, starring Eddie Murphy. **6.55** One Day (2011) (12) Romantic drama, with Anne Hathaway and Jim Sturgess. **9.00** Faster (2010) (15) Action adventure, starring Dwayne Johnson. **10.55** Fright Night (1985) (18) Comedy horror, starring Roddy McDowall. **1.05** Nosferatu the Vampyre (1979) (15) Horror remake, starring Klaus Kinski. **3.20** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12
7.10 Extreme Fishing with Robson Green **8.00** American Pickers **10.00** Top Gear **12.00** Motorway Cops **1.00** Traffic Cops **2.00** Storage Hunters **5.00** Ice Road Truckers **7.00** Blackadder II **9.00** Not Going Out Christmas Special **11.00** Mock the Week **12.20** FILM: Sudden Death (1995) (18) **2.25** Mock the Week **3.30** Never Mind the Buzzcocks **4.00** Home Shopping

SKY1 SKY: 106
6.00 Ashley Banjo's Secret Street Crew **8.00** Game Changers **8.30** Duck Quacks Don't Echo **9.00** The Fantasy Football Club **10.00** Soccer AM **12.00** The F1 Show **12.30** Jungle Book 3D: Special **1.00** Wild Things **2.00** Futurama **4.30** The Simpsons **5.00** Supergirl **6.00** The Flash **7.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **8.00** Hawaii Five-0 **9.00** Limitless **10.00** Micky Flanagan's Detour de France **11.00** A League of Their Own: Best Bits **12.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo **1.00** Arrow **2.00** Strike Back: Vengeance **4.00** Emergency Abroad **5.00** Nothing to Declare

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108
6.00 Storm City **8.00** Cold Case **11.00** Blue Bloods **4.00** Without a Trace **8.00** Blue Bloods **9.00** Game of Thrones **10.10** Game of Thrones: Greatest Moments **12.10** Last Week Tonight with John Oliver **12.45** Girls **1.20** Six Feet Under **2.25** Hunderby **4.15** Storm City

W SKY: 109
6.15 Who Do You Think You Are? USA **9.00** The Bill **2.00** EastEnders **4.30** Dynamo: Magician Impossible **7.30** Derren Brown: Trick of the Mind **8.00** Doctor Who **9.00** FILM: Beverly Hills Cop II (1987) (15) Comedy thriller sequel, starring Eddie Murphy. **11.00** Motorway Cops **12.15** Emergency Bikers **1.15** The Musketeers **2.10** Atlantis **3.00** Home Shopping

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Sunday April 17th

BBC1

6.00 Breakfast (S) **7.35 Match of the Day** (S)(R) **9.00 The Andrew Marr Show** (S) **10.00 The Big Questions** (S) **11.00 Sunday Politics** (S) **12.15 Bargain Hunt** (S)(R) **1.00 BBC News;** Weather (S) **1.15 Homes Under the Hammer** (S)(R) **2.15 Flog It!** From Lissanoure Castle in Co Antrim. (S)(R) **3.15 Escape to the Country** (S)(R) **4.00 Points of View** (S) **4.15 Lifeline** (S) **4.25 Songs of Praise** Pam Rhodes investigates the Queen's religious faith. (S) **5.00 Life in the Air** (S) **6.00 Paul O'Grady: The Sally Army and Me** (S) **6.30 BBC News** (S) **6.50 BBC Regional News; Weather** (S)

7.00 Countryfile Joe Crowley and Anita Rani visit Dumfries and Galloway, where they visit a historic herd of cattle and join a photographer looking for wildlife at night. Including Weather For The Week Ahead. (S)

8.00 Antiques Roadshow The team values rarities at Hanbury Hall, Droitwich. Items featured include a jacket designed by Peter Blake, a nude painting and a sketch of Napoleon on his deathbed. (S)

9.00 Undercover Maya resumes her legal struggle with the US authorities, leading to a revelation that rocks her marriage to the core. Nick is confronted with a ghost from his past. (S)

10.00 BBC News (S)
10.20 BBC Regional News; Weather (S)
10.30 Match of the Day 2 Mark Chapman reviews the latest Premier League action, featuring Bournemouth v Liverpool. (S)

11.40 Room 101 – Extra Storage With Len Goodman, Ronni Ancona and Tim Vine. (S)(R)

AFTER 12

12.20 Snooker: World Championship Extra (S) **3.20** World Snooker: Crucible Classics (S) **4.20** Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **4.25** BBC News (S)

BBC2

6.30 This Farming Life Ex-barrister Sandy Granville gathers in his sheep from the moor. (S)(R) **7.30 Gardeners' World** (S)(R) **8.00 An Island Parish** (S)(R) **8.30 The Beechgrove Garden** (S) **9.00 Countryfile** (S)(R) **10.00 Live Snooker: The World Championship** The opening session on day two at the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield. (S) **12.15 MOTD2 Extra** (S) **1.00 Live Snooker: The World Championship** Coverage of the second session on the second day. (S) **6.00 Jungle Animal Hospital: Natural World** The work of staff at a jungle animal hospital in Guatemala. (S)(R)

7.00 Jumbo: The Plane That Changed the World The origins and development of the Boeing 747, the wide-bodied airliner that revolutionised air travel after coming into service in 1970. (S)(R)

8.00 Natural Born Winners The athletes move on to India, where they are introduced to Kalaripayattu, a fighting style with a range of acrobatic moves and weapons that is considered the root of martial arts. (S)

9.00 Horizon: Should We Close Our Zoos? Liz Bonnin reports on issues concerning zoos, exploring their role in preserving endangered species and the practice of culling animals to manage population size. (S)

10.00 FILM The Spectacular Now (2013) (15) Premiere. A teenage loner bonds with a drunken classmate who helps her create a new persona for herself to boost her confidence. Drama, starring Miles Teller. (S)

11.30 Snooker: The World Championship Highlights of the evening session at the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield. (S)

12.20 The People v OJ Simpson: American Crime Story (S)(R) **1.05** Sign Zone: Countryfile (S)(R) **2.05** Holby City (S)(R) **3.00** This Is BBC Two (S)

ITV

6.00 CITV 8.25 ITV News (S) **8.30 Weekend** (S) **9.25 Murder, She Wrote** (S)(R) **11.20 The Jeremy Kyle Show** Guests air their differences. (S)(R) **12.25 ITV News;** Weather (S) **12.30 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S)(R) **1.30 River Monsters** (S)(R) **2.35 Big Star's Little Star** With Joe Swash, Sharron Davies and Duncan Bannatyne. (S)(R) **3.35 Britain's Got Talent** The second round of auditions. (S)(R) **5.00 Tipping Point** Game show, hosted by Ben Shephard. (S)(R) **6.00 All Star Family Fortunes** With Paul Potts and Ann Widdecombe. (S)(R) **6.35 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **6.45 ITV News** (S)

7.00 The Chase Celebrity Special Shane Williams, Sair Khan, Milton Jones and Tanni Grey-Thompson work as a team to take on quiz genius the Chaser and secure a cash prize for charity. (S)

8.00 The Durrells Margo takes pride in her new job, but soon discovers where her greatest talent lies. Gerry and Leslie's social lives leave Louisa wondering if she made a mistake coming to Corfu. (S)

9.00 Home Fires The Czech officers organise a dance. Sarah receives some unwelcome advice, Pat's affair with Marek is uncovered, and Allison is forced to decide where her loyalties lie. (S)

10.05 ITV News; Weather (S)
10.20 Jim Carter: Lonnie Donegan And Me The Downton Abbey star examines the influence of the 1950s singer on pop music.

11.25 Premiership Rugby Union Highlights of the latest top-flight fixtures.

12.15 Jackpot247 3.00 British Superbike Championship Highlights **3.50** ITV Nightscreen **5.05** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R)

Channel 4

6.15 The King of Queens (S)(R) **7.05 Marvel's Agents of SHIELD** (S) **8.00 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **9.30 Sunday Brunch** With guests Greg McHugh, Warren Brown, Liz Bonnin and Marvin Humes. (S) **1.30 Formula 1: Chinese Grand Prix Highlights** (S) **3.30 Location, Location, Location** Revisiting two pairs of house-hunters in Norfolk. (S)(R) **4.30 A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun** New series. Jonnie Irwin returns with the property series. (S) **5.30 Channel 4 News** (S) **6.00 Grand Designs: Living in the Country** Favourite rural builds from 15 years of the show. (S)(R)

7.00 The Fearless Chef New series. Chef Kiran Jethwa goes on a culinary world tour, tracing ingredients to their source. His travels begin in Bolivia, where he harvests coca leaves on sheer valley slopes. (S)

8.00 Hidden Britain by Drone Part two of two. Tony Robinson presents aerial footage of a shipyard where aircraft carriers are built and a shipwreck on the Kent coast that is filled with explosives. (S)

9.00 Indian Summers Aafrin tries to prevent a bombing during Simla's silver jubilee celebrations without exposing his own secrets, but by enlisting Sooni's help, he places her life in danger. (S)

10.00 Gogglebox Capturing the households' instant reactions to what they are watching on TV from the comfort of their own sofas. (S)(R)

11.05 FILM Mud (2012) (12) Premiere. Drama, starring Matthew McConaughey and Reese Witherspoon. (S)

Channel 5

6.00 Milkshake! 10.05 Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles (S) **10.40 The Championship: Football League Tonight** Highlights and all the goals from the Championship. (S)(R) **11.40 Goal Rush: Football League Tonight** (S)(R) **12.15 The Gadget Show** (S)(R) **1.15 FILM The Princess Bride (1987) (PG)** Comic fantasy adventure, starring Cary Elwes. (S) **3.15 FILM Bend It Like Beckham (2002) (12)** Comedy, starring Parminder Nagra and Keira Knightley. (S) **5.30 FILM Hercules (1997) (U)** Disney animated adventure, with the voices of Tate Donovan and Danny DeVito. (S)

7.10 Now That's Funny! Internet-sourced videos with an amusing family friendly hook. (S)

8.00 Penn & Teller: Fool Us in Vegas An award-winning magician performs one of his favourite routines. (S)
8.55 5 News Weekend (S)

9.00 FILM Going the Distance (2010) (15) Premiere. A couple try to keep their relationship going despite the strain of living on opposite sides of America. Romantic comedy, starring Drew Barrymore. (S)

11.05 FILM Mars Attacks! (1996) (12) The inhabitants of Earth scramble to repel an invasion by a seemingly invincible Martian army. Tim Burton's sci-fi comedy, starring Jack Nicholson, and Glenn Close. (S)

1.05 SuperCasino 3.10 The Tube: Going Underground (S)(R) **4.00** Wildlife SOS (S)(R) **4.25** Wildlife SOS (S)(R) **4.50** Great Artists (S)(R) **5.20** Divine Designs (S)(R) **5.45** Angels of Jarm (S)(R) **5.50** Angels of Jarm (S)(R)

DIGITAL

ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6
6.00 Planet's Funniest Animals **6.20** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **6.45** Emmerdale **9.30** Coronation Street **12.00** Take Me Out **1.10** Catchphrase **1.55** FILM: Scooby-Doo (2002) (PG) **2.55** FYI Daily **3.00** FILM: Scooby-Doo (2002) (PG) **3.45** FILM: Hotel Transylvania (2012) (U) **4.50** FYI Daily **4.55** FILM: Hotel Transylvania (2012) (U) **5.35** Britain's Got Talent **7.00** Britain's Got More Talent **8.00** FILM: After Earth (2013) (12) Sci-fi adventure, starring Will and Jaden Smith. **9.00** FYI Daily **9.05** FILM: After Earth (2013) (12) **10.00** Family Guy **11.55** American Dad! **12.55** The Cleveland Show **1.50** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **2.15** The Hot Desk: Fleur East **2.25** Teleshopping **5.55** ITV2 Nightscreen

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10
6.00 On the Buses **7.25** FILM: Clockwise (1986) (PG) **8.25** FYI Daily **8.30** FILM: Clockwise (1986) (PG) **9.20** Heartbeat **11.30** FILM: Columbo: Lady in Waiting (1971) (PG) **1.10** FILM: Black Beauty (1994) (U) **2.10** FYI Daily **2.15** FILM: Black Beauty (1994) (U) **3.00** Agatha Christie's Marple **5.00** Midsomer Murders **7.00** Doc Martin **8.00** The Cruise Ship **8.30** Royal Stories **9.00** Great Estates of Scotland **10.10** FILM: The Queen (2006) (12) **11.10** FYI Daily **11.15** FILM: The Queen (2006) (12) Concluded. **12.20** Inspector Morse **2.20** Wycliffe **3.15** May the Best House Win **4.55** On the Buses **5.20** Judge Judy **5.45** ITV3 Nightscreen

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9
7.00 Trad Jazz Britannia **8.00** FILM: Rock Around the Clock (1956) (U) Musical, starring Johnny Johnston. **9.15** Rock 'n' Roll America **12.15** Natural World: Tiger Island **1.15** Rich Hall's California Stars **2.45** Jerusalem: The Making of a Holy City **3.45** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28
6.00 Rude(ish) Tube **7.50** Suburgatory **8.55** Baby Daddy **9.55** Hollyoaks **12.30** Made in Chelsea **1.30** Couples Come Dine with Me **2.30** The Goldbergs **3.55** FILM: Dear John (2010) (12) Romantic drama, with Channing Tatum and Amanda Seyfried. **6.00** The Big Bang Theory **9.00** Marvel's Agents of SHIELD **10.00** Tattoo Fixers **11.00** The IT Crowd **12.05** The Aliens **1.10** The 100 **2.10** Marvel's Agents of SHIELD **2.55** Tattoo Fixers **3.50** Hollyoaks

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14
8.55 Kirstie's Handmade Treasures **9.25** Come Dine with Me **12.05** Jamie's 15 Minute Meals **12.35** Vet on the Hill **1.40** Selling Houses with Amanda Lamb **2.45** Four in a Bed **5.20** Come Dine with Me **8.00** Grand Designs New Zealand **9.00** FILM: Clear and Present Danger (1994) (12) Action thriller, starring Harrison Ford. **11.50** 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown **12.55** Grand Designs New Zealand **1.55** Thicker Than Water **3.20** Food Unwrapped **3.50** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15
11.00 Escape from the Planet of the Apes (1971) (PG) **1.00** Brewster's Millions (1985) (PG) **3.05** City of Ember (2008) (PG) **4.55** Marley and Me (2008) (PG) **7.10** Legend (1985) (PG) Fantasy adventure, with Tom Cruise. **9.00** Now You See Me (2013) (12) Crime thriller, starring Jesse Eisenberg. **11.15** Friday the 13th (2009) (18) Horror remake, starring Jared Padalecki. **1.10** Room 237 (2012) (15) **3.20** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12
7.10 MegaTruckers **8.00** Red Bull Soapbox Race **9.00** Motorway Cops **10.00** Traffic Cops **11.00** Storage Hunters **2.00** Red Dwarf **4.00** Blackadder II **6.00** Top Gear **9.00** Have I Got a Bit More News for You **10.00** QI XL **11.00** Parks and Recreation **12.00** Mock the Week **2.00** Have I Got a Bit More News for You **2.45** Idris Elba – King of Speed **3.35** MegaTruckers **4.00** Home Shopping

SKY1 SKY: 106
6.00 Hour of Power **7.00** RSPCA Animal Rescue **8.00** Monkey Life **9.00** Supergirl **10.00** The Flash **11.00** WWE: Raw **12.00** Cricket's Funniest Moments **1.00** Football's Funniest Moments **1.30** Duck Quacks Don't Echo **2.30** Futurama **5.00** The Simpsons **5.30** The Muppets **6.00** Modern Family **6.30** The Simpsons **7.00** Wild Things **8.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo **9.00** Hawaii Five-0 **10.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **11.00** Air Ambulance ER **12.00** Stop, Search, Seize **1.00** Road Wars **2.00** DC's Legends of Tomorrow **3.00** Road Wars **4.00** Inside Gatwick **5.00** Nothing to Declare

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108
6.00 Storm City **7.00** Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets **8.00** The West Wing **1.00** Urban Secrets **2.00** Without a Trace **6.00** Cold Case **9.00** The Tunnel: Sabotage **10.00** Game Of Thrones: The Story So Far 2016 **11.30** Vinyl **12.45** Six Feet Under **2.00** Vinyl **3.15** Togetherness **4.00** Storm City **5.00** Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets

W SKY: 109
6.00 Bondi Rescue **9.00** My Dream Home **12.00** EastEnders **2.30** Doctor Who **6.30** Doctor Who: The Doctors Revisited **7.00** Doctor Who **8.00** Get Me to the Church **9.00** The Musketeers **10.10** Who Do You Think You Are? **11.15** Motorway Cops **12.25** Emergency Bikers **1.20** Saving Hope **2.05** Atlantis **3.00** Home Shopping

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Monday April 18th

DAYTIME

BBC1

MasterChef, 7.30pm

6.00 Breakfast (S) **9.15 The Day I Met the Queen** (S) **10.00 Homes Under the Hammer** (S)(R) **11.00 The Sheriffs Are Coming** (S) **11.45 Thief Trackers** (S)(R) **12.15 Bargain Hunt** (S) **1.00 BBC News at One; Weather** (S) **1.30 BBC Regional News and Weather** (S) **1.45 Doctors** (S) **2.15 The Code** New series. Quiz, hosted by Matt Allwright. (S) **3.00 Escape to the Country** (S)(R) **3.45 Money for Nothing** (S) **4.30 Put Your Money Where Your Mouth Is** (S) **5.15 Pointless** (S)(R) **6.00 BBC News at Six; Weather** (S) **6.30 BBC Regional News Programmes** (S) **6.55 Party Election Broadcast** (S)

7
- **7.00 The One Show** Hosted by Alex Jones and Matt Baker. (S)
- **7.30 MasterChef** The remaining 14 cooks face the knockout week; (S) BBC News; Regional News (S)

8
- **8.00 EastEnders** Tamwar tries to persuade Nancy to stay in Walford. (S)
- **8.30 MasterChef** The remaining seven contestants create their dishes. (S)

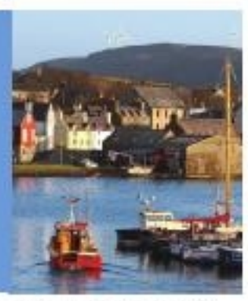
9
- **9.00 Peter Kay's Comedy Shuffle** New series. The comedian looks back over his career. (S)
- **9.30 I Want My Wife Back** New series. Comedy, starring Ben Miller and Caroline Catz. (S)

10
- **10.00 BBC News at Ten** (S)
- **10.30 BBC Regional News and Weather** (S)
- **10.45 Have I Got a Bit More News for You** Extended edition. Tracey Ullman hosts, with guests Andy Hamilton and Clive Myrie. (S)

11
- **11.30 The Graham Norton Show** With Meryl Streep, Hugh Grant and Keeley Hawes. (S)(R)
- **11.30 Granada/YTV The Super League Show** (S)

AFTER 12
- **12.15 Snooker: World Championship Extra** (S) **3.15** World Snooker: Crucible Classics (S) **5.15** Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **5.20** BBC News (S)

BBC2


An Island Parish, 8.30pm

6.00 The Sheriffs Are Coming (S)(R) **6.45 Escape to the Country** (S)(R) **7.30 Think Tank** (S)(R) **8.15 Put Your Money Where Your Mouth Is** (S)(R) **9.00 Sign Zone: Caught Red Handed** (S)(R) **9.30 Sign Zone: Gardeners' World** (S)(R) **10.00 Live Snooker: The World Championship** (S) **12.00 Daily Politics** (S) **1.00 Live Snooker: The World Championship** The second session on the third day at the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield. (S) **6.00 Eggheads** (S) **6.30 The Hairy Bikers' Pubs That Built Britain** New series. Si King and Dave Myers examine the hidden history of the nation's inns. (S)

- **7.00 Antiques Road Trip** Paul Laidlaw and Christina Trevanion travel through Suffolk, Cambridgeshire, Gloucestershire and Northamptonshire to buy items for auctions in Market Harborough and Evesham. (S)
- **8.00 University Challenge** The final of the student quiz. Last in the series. (S)
- **8.30 An Island Parish** The Rev David Cooper oversees the renovations to his retirement home. (S)
- **9.00 The People v OJ Simpson: American Crime Story** The jury reaches a verdict and the outcome triggers recriminations and regrets for some participants and celebrations for others. Last in the series. (S)
- **10.00 Live at the Apollo** Dara O Briain hosts, with guests Zoe Lyons and Paul Chowdhry. (S)(R)
- **10.30 Newsnight** (S)
- **11.20 Weather** (S)
- **11.25 Snooker: The World Championship** Highlights of the concluding session on day three in Sheffield. (S)
- **12.15 Tom Jones' 1950s: The Decade That Made Me** (S)(R) **1.15** Sign Zone: MasterChef (S)(R) **2.15** The Celebrity Apprentice USA (S)(R) **3.40** This Is BBC Two (S)

ITV

Marcella, 9pm

6.00 Good Morning Britain (S) **8.30 Lorraine** (S) **9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S)(R) **10.30 This Morning** (S) **12.30 Loose Women** (S) **1.30 ITV Lunchtime News;** Weather (S) **1.55 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **2.00 Judge Rinder** Real-life cases in a studio courtroom. (S) **3.00 Chopping Block** (S) **3.59 ITV Regional Weather** (S) **4.00 Tipping Point** Game show, presented by Ben Shephard. (S) **5.00 The Chase** Quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh. (S) **6.00 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **6.25 Party Election Broadcast** (S) **6.30 ITV Evening News;** Weather (S)

- **7.00 Emmerdale** Paddy and Rhona bid farewell to the village. (S)
- **7.30 Coronation Street** Sarah's behaviour creates cause for concern. (S)
- **8.00 Further Tales from Northumberland with Robson Green** Last in the series. (S)
- **8.30 Coronation Street** Nick is concerned that his brain injury could destroy his relationship. (S)
- **9.00 Marcella** Grace's body is discovered and Marcella tries to hide the fact she was one of the last people to see her alive, while Sylvie learns her daughter and Jason were having an affair. (S)
- **10.00 ITV News;** Weather (S)
- **10.30 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S)
- **10.45 The Agenda** Tom Bradby and guests discuss the week's big issues. (S)
- **11.30 The Chase** Quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh. (S)(R)
- **12.25 Jackpot247 3.00** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R) **3.55** ITV Nightscreen **5.05** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R)

Channel 4

Isis and the Missing Treasures: Channel 4 Dispatches, 8pm

6.00 Countdown (S)(R) **6.45 Will & Grace** (S)(R) **8.00 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **9.00 Frasier** (S)(R) **10.30 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA** (S)(R) **11.30 Four in a Bed** (S)(R) **12.00 Channel 4 News** (S) **12.05 Four in a Bed** (S)(R) **2.10 Fifteen to One** General knowledge quiz. (S) **3.10 Countdown** With Dictionary Corner guest Dave Myers. (S) **4.00 Couples Come Dine with Me** Three couples from Cambridge compete. (S)(R) **5.00 Four in a Bed** (S) **5.30 Too Many Cooks** (S) **6.00 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **6.30 Hollyoaks** The Osbornes receive another blackmail note. (S)

- **7.00 Channel 4 News** (S)
- **8.00 Isis and the Missing Treasures: Channel 4 Dispatches** The UK trade in looted antiquities. (S)
- **8.30 The Food Chain** The journeys made by organic lamb and frozen peas. (S)
- **9.00 The Island with Bear Grylls** Patrick and Sarah seek comfort in each other, while the relations between the rest of the contestants start to disintegrate. (S)
- **10.00 Sex Box** Goedele Liekens gives three more couples advice, there is a look at how technology is transforming sexual habits and the results of a survey on attitudes to unfaithfulness. (S)
- **11.05 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown** Rhod Gilbert and Sara Pascoe join team captains Sean Lock and Jon Richardson. Jimmy Carr hosts. (S)(R)
- **12.10 One Born Every Minute** (S)(R) **1.05** British Army Girls (S)(R) **2.00** Alan Carr: Chatty Man (S)(R) **3.00** Lookalikes (S)(R) **3.30** Tricks of the Restaurant Trade (S)(R) **3.55** Kirstie's Vintage Gems (S)(R)

Channel 5

Gotham: Wrath of the Villains, 10pm

6.00 Milkshake! 9.15 The Wright Stuff 11.15 Beware! Cowboy Builders Abroad (S)(R) **12.10 5 News Lunchtime** (S) **12.15 Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away** (S)(R) **1.15 Home and Away** (S) **1.45 Neighbours** (S) **2.15 NCIS: New Orleans** A death during a city-wide blackout is connected to a gang of looters. (S)(R) **3.15 Access** (S) **3.20 FILM Dangerous Company (2015) (PG)** Thriller, starring Alicia Leigh Willis. (S) **5.00 5 News at 5** (S) **5.30 Neighbours** Lauren works to heal the rift between Pam and Ned. (S)(R) **6.00 Home and Away** (S)(R) **6.30 5 News Tonight** (S)

- **7.00 World War II in Colour** The concluding programme looks at how Japan's savage resistance led to the decision by American president Harry S Truman to deploy the atomic bomb; (S)(R) 5 News Update (S)
- **8.00 Police Interceptors** Kev pepper-sprays a suspect resisting arrest, while Richie and his colleagues undertake a tactical pursuit-and-containment operation on a stolen car in the snow; (S) 5 News Update (S)
- **9.00 The Tube: Going Underground** Staff face their busiest and most unusual shift on New Year's Eve. (S)
- **10.00 Gotham: Wrath of the Villains** Alfred and Selina help Bruce on his quest to find his parents' killer, and Strange puts Cobblepot through a series of psychological experiments. (S)
- **11.00 Person of Interest** Reese and Finch try to protect a con artist. (S)
- **11.55 Person of Interest** Reese and Finch try to protect a psychologist. (S)
- **12.50 True Crimes: The First 72 Hours** (S)(R) **1.15** SuperCasino **3.10** Castle (S)(R) **4.00** Wildlife SOS (S)(R) **4.25** Great Artists (S)(R) **4.45** House Doctor (S)(R) **5.10** House Doctor (S)(R) **5.35** House Doctor (S)(R)

DIGITAL

ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6
6.00 Planet's Funniest Animals **6.20** Dinner Date **7.15** The Ellen DeGeneres Show **8.00** Emmerdale **8.30** Coronation Street **9.30** Psych **10.20** Royal Pains **11.15** Dinner Date **12.15** Emmerdale **12.45** Coronation Street **1.45** The Ellen DeGeneres Show **2.35** The Jeremy Kyle Show **5.50** Take Me Out **7.00** You've Been Framed! **8.00** Two and a Half Men **9.00** Family Guy **10.00** Plebs **10.30** Family Guy **11.00** American Dad! **11.55** The Cleveland Show **12.50** Two and a Half Men **1.20** Celebrity Juice **2.05** @elevenish

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10
6.00 Doctor at Large **6.25** Heartbeat **7.25** Where the Heart Is **8.30** The Royal **9.35** Judge Judy **10.55** The Darling Buds of May **12.00** Murder, She Wrote **1.00** Heartbeat **2.05** The Royal **3.10** Where the Heart Is **4.15** Doctor at Large **4.50** On the Buses **5.20** George and Mildred **5.55** Heartbeat **6.55** Murder, She Wrote **7.55** Wycliffe **9.00** When Kate Met William: A Tale of Two Lives **10.00** Prime Suspect V **12.20** The Darling Buds of May **1.20** Where the Heart Is **2.15** ITV3 Nightscreen **2.30** Teleshopping

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9
7.00 World News Today; Weather **7.30** The Flying Archaeologist **8.00** Antiques Uncovered **9.00** A History of Ancient Britain **10.00** She-Wolves: England's Early Queens **11.00** Imagine – Zaha Hadid: Who Dares Wins **12.10** Ancient Greece: The Greatest Show on Earth **1.10** Secret Knowledge: The Body Beautiful – Ancient Greeks, Good Looks and Glamour **1.40** She-Wolves: England's Early Queens **2.40** Antiques Uncovered **3.40** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28
6.00 Charmed **7.35** Hollyoaks **8.05** Rules of Engagement **9.00** Rude(ish) Tube **10.00** Baby Daddy **11.00** Charmed **1.00** How I Met Your Mother **2.00** The Big Bang Theory **3.00** Baby Daddy **4.00** How I Met Your Mother **5.00** Rude(ish) Tube **6.00** The Big Bang Theory **7.00** Hollyoaks **7.30** The Big Bang Theory **9.00** Made in Chelsea **10.00** Empire **11.00** The Big Bang Theory **12.00** Gogglebox **12.50** Made in Chelsea **1.55** Empire **2.40** New Girl **3.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **3.25** Gogglebox **4.05** 2 Broke Girls **4.25** Rules of Engagement

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14
8.55 Jamie's Super Food **9.35** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **10.40** Time Team **12.50** Come Dine with Me **3.35** A New Life in the Sun **4.40** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **6.50** Posh Pawnbrokers **7.55** Grand Designs **9.00** Vet on the Hill **10.00** 24 Hours in A&E **12.10** Undercover Boss USA **1.10** Vet on the Hill **2.15** 24 Hours in A&E **3.15** Kirstie's Vintage Gems

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15
11.00 Rio Grande (1950) (U) **1.10** Arizona Raiders (1965) (U) **2.55** The Cockleshell Heroes (1955) (U) **4.55** Jubal (1956) (PG) **7.00** The Seeker: The Dark Is Rising (2007) (12) **9.00** Unknown (2011) (12) **11.15** Rush Hour 3 (2007) (12) **1.00** Bullhead (2011) (15)

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12
7.00 Storage Hunters **7.20** Top Gear **9.00** American Pickers **10.00** American Pickers **11.00** Storage Hunters **12.00** Top Gear **2.00** American Pickers **3.00** Sin City Motors **4.00** Storage Hunters **5.00** Top Gear **6.00** American Pickers **7.00** American Pickers **8.00** Ice Road Truckers **9.00** Mock the Week **11.00** The Last Man on Earth **11.30** QI XL **12.30** Room 101 **1.50** Would I Lie to You? **2.30** The Last Man on Earth **3.00** Never Mind the Buzzcocks **3.35** Parks and Recreation

SKY1 SKY: 106
6.00 The Dog Whisperer **7.00** Monkey Life **8.00** RSPCA Animal Rescue **9.00** Modern Family **10.00** Hawaii Five-0 **12.00** Forever **1.00** Hawaii Five-0 **3.00** Modern Family **4.00** Futurama **5.00** The Simpsons **5.30** Futurama **6.30** The Simpsons **8.00** The Muppets **8.30** Modern Family **9.00** Air Ambulance ER **10.00** Ross Kemp: Extreme World **11.00** Limitless **12.00** Hawaii Five-0 **2.00** Forever **3.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response **4.00** Stargate SG-1

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108
6.00 Networks of Power with Sir Christopher Meyer **7.00** The Guest Wing **8.00** House **10.00** The West Wing **11.00** Blue Bloods **12.00** Cold Case **1.00** Without a Trace **2.00** Urban Secrets **3.00** House **5.00** The West Wing **6.00** Blue Bloods **7.00** Cold Case **8.00** Without a Trace **9.00** Vinyl **10.10** Last Week Tonight with John Oliver **10.45** Girls **11.55** Vinyl **1.05** Six Feet Under **2.15** 100 Code **4.10** Networks of Power with Sir Christopher Meyer **5.05** The Guest Wing

W SKY: 109
6.00 Betty White's Off Their Rockers **6.25** Who Do You Think You Are? USA **7.20** EastEnders **8.00** MasterChef Australia **9.00** Battlechefs **10.00** The Bill **11.00** Tipping Point **12.00** Wanted Down Under **1.00** My Dream Home **2.00** Battlechefs **3.00** Who Do You Think You Are? USA **4.00** Wanted Down Under **5.00** My Dream Home **6.00** Tipping Point **8.00** River Cottage Spring **9.00** Who Do You Think You Are? USA **10.00** EastEnders **10.40** Louis Theroux: Transgender Kids **12.00** Emergency Bikers **1.00** Saving Hope **1.45** Atlantis **2.30** Derren Brown: Trick of the Mind **3.00** Home Shopping

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Tuesday April 19th

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00 Breakfast (S) **9.15 The Day I Met the Queen** (S) **10.00 Homes Under the Hammer** (S) **11.00 The Sheriffs Are Coming** (S) **11.45 Thief Trackers** (S)(R) **12.15 Bargain Hunt** (S)(R) **1.00 BBC News at One; Weather** (S) **1.30 BBC Regional News and Weather** (S) **1.45 Doctors** (S) **2.15 The Code** Quiz, hosted by Matt Allwright. (S) **3.00 Escape to the Country** (S) **3.45 Money for Nothing** (S) **4.30 Put Your Money Where Your Mouth Is** (S) **5.15 Pointless** (S)(R) **6.00 BBC News at Six; Weather** (S) **6.30 BBC Regional News and Weather** (S) **6.55 Party Election Broadcast** (S)

7 **7.00 The One Show** Live chat and topical reports. (S)
7.30 EastEnders News from Zainab leaves Masood feeling down; (S) BBC News; Regional News (S)

8 **8.00 Holby City** When Bernie finds herself working alongside an old army colleague, she is forced to confront the secrets of the past and face the truth behind her sudden exit from the army. (S)

9 **9.00 The A Word** The family suffers a blow when police reveal that their "Polish" helper Maya is Ukrainian, and is working illegally in the UK. Drama, starring Morven Christie and Lee Ingleby. (S)

10 **10.00 BBC News at Ten** (S)
10.30 BBC Regional News and Weather; (S) National Lottery Update (S)
10.45 Would I Lie to You? With Huw Edwards, Sarah Millican, Bradley Walsh and Josie Lawrence. (S)(R)

11 **11.15 How to Stay Young** The second of two documentaries about beating the ageing process. (S) (R)

AFTER 12 **12.15 Snooker: World Championship Extra** (S) **3.15** World Snooker: Crucible Classics (S) **5.15** Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **5.20** BBC News (S)

BBC2

6.00 The Day I Met the Queen (S)(R) **6.45 The Sheriffs Are Coming** (S)(R) **7.30 Money for Nothing** (S)(R) **8.15 Put Your Money Where Your Mouth Is** (S)(R) **9.00 Sign Zone: Caught Red Handed** (S)(R) **9.30 Sign Zone: Great British Railway Journeys** (S)(R) **10.00 Live Snooker: The World Championship** (S) **12.00 Daily Politics** (S) **1.00 Live Snooker: The World Championship** The second session on day four in Sheffield. (S) **6.00 Eggheads** Quiz show, hosted by Jeremy Vine. (S) **6.30 The Hairy Bikers' Pubs That Built Britain** The pair take a pub tour of the Lake District. (S)

7.00 Antiques Road Trip Paul Laidlaw and Christina Trevanion rummage through Hertfordshire, Buckinghamshire and the West Midlands, before continuing through Shropshire and Worcestershire. (S)

8.00 Bake Off: Creme de la Creme Tom Kerridge welcomes three more teams of pastry chefs, and their challenges include making an Italian pastry called Sfogliatelle, and Sticky Toffee Pudding. (S)

9.00 Europe: Them or Us Part two of two. Nick Robinson goes behind the closed doors of Whitehall and Brussels to hear from the decision-makers about Britain's relationship with the EEC, now EU. (S)

10.00 Later Live – with Jools Holland New series. Featuring Laura Mvula, Paul Simon, Kano, Jason Isbell. (S)
10.30 Newsnight (S)

11.10 Weather (S)
11.15 Snooker: The World Championship Highlights of the concluding session on day four. (S)

12.05 The Super League Show (S) **12.50** Horizon (S)(R) **1.50** Sign Zone: MasterChef (S)(R) **2.50** This Farming Life (S)(R) **3.50** This Is BBC Two (S)

ITV

6.00 Good Morning Britain (S) **8.30 Lorraine** (S) **9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S) **10.30 This Morning** (S) **12.30 Loose Women** (S) **1.30 ITV Lunchtime News;** Weather (S) **1.55 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **2.00 Judge Rinder** Real-life cases in a studio courtroom. (S) **3.00 Chopping Block** (S) **3.59 ITV Regional Weather** (S) **4.00 Tipping Point** Game show, presented by Ben Shephard. (S) **5.00 The Chase** Quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh. (S) **6.00 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **6.25 Party Election Broadcast** (S) **6.30 ITV Evening News;** Weather (S)

7.00 Emmerdale Andy tries to persuade Moira to help him contact Debbie. (S)
7.30 River Monsters Jeremy Wade returns to Africa's Okavango Delta to re-investigate the tigerfish. (S)

8.00 Fierce New series. Steve Backshall seeks out the world's most fierce animals, and in the first episode travels to Indonesia where he has a close call with a komodo dragon. (S)

9.00 Drive Vernon Kay meets the remaining six celebrities, and Jason Plato offers advice as the group face their third challenge – all-terrain 4x4 driving. (S)

10.00 ITV News; Weather (S)
10.30 ITV Regional News; Weather (S)
10.40 Paul O'Grady's Animal Orphans Part one of two. Paul O'Grady is in Borneo, visiting an orang-utan rehabilitation centre. (S)(R)

11.40 Bargain Shop Wars Behind the scenes of discount fashion retailer Pep&Co. (S)(R)

12.10 Jackpot247 3.00 Loose Women (S)(R) **3.50** ITV Nightscreen **5.05** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R)

Channel 4

6.00 Countdown (S)(R) **6.45 Will & Grace** (S)(R) **8.00 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **9.00 Frasier** (S)(R) **10.30 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA** (S)(R) **11.30 Four in a Bed** (S)(R) **12.00 Channel 4 News** (S) **12.05 Four in a Bed** (S)(R) **2.10 Fifteen to One** General knowledge quiz. (S) **3.10 Countdown** With Dictionary Corner guest Dave Myers. (S) **4.00 Couples Come Dine with Me** Three couples compete in East Anglia. (S)(R) **5.00 Four in a Bed** (S) **5.30 Too Many Cooks** (S) **6.00 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **6.30 Hollyoaks** Marnie threatens Freddie. (S)

7.00 Channel 4 News (S)

8.00 The Tiny Tots Talent Agency New series. Documentary series focusing on Bizzykidz, one of the largest children's talent agencies in the UK, shining the spotlight on aspiring models and some of their parents. (S)

9.00 One Born Every Minute Cameras follow Kirstine and Phil who are separated following a labour-related emergency, and businesswoman Tyla who awaits the arrival of her third child. (S)

10.00 First Dates The latest diners looking for love in the blind date show include tattooed teetotaller Danny and Kate, a mother of one who seems like his perfect match. (S)

11.05 24 Hours in A&E A 43-year-old cyclist is brought to A&E after crashing face first into a car, while a 68-year-old woman awaits the results of an X-ray. (S)(R)

12.10 Poker (S) **1.05** KOTV Boxing Weekly (S) **1.30** Gillette World Sport (S) **2.00** The Grid (S)(R) **2.25** MSA British Rally Championship (S)(R) **2.55** Freeride World Tour (S)(R) **3.20** Sarah Beeny's How to Sell Your Home (S)(R)

Channel 5

6.00 Milkshake! 9.15 The Wright Stuff 11.15 Beware! Cowboy Builders (S)(R) **12.10 5 News Lunchtime** (S) **12.15 Trauma Doctors: Every Second Counts** (S)(R) **1.15 Home and Away** (S) **1.45 Neighbours** (S) **2.15 NCIS** DiNozzo, Bishop and her husband investigate a terrorist threat. (S)(R) **3.15 FILM Secrets of Eden (2012) (12)** Drama, starring John Stamos. (S) **5.00 5 News at 5** (S) **5.30 Neighbours** Karl misinterprets Sarah's intent when she asks him about life with Susan. (S)(R) **6.00 Home and Away** Zac is denied bail. (S)(R) **6.30 5 News Tonight** (S)

7.00 The Dog Rescuers with Alan Davies The team is sent to a remote farm in Stapleford Abbotts, Essex, where more than 70 dogs and puppies are found in terrible conditions; (S) (R) 5 News Update (S)

8.00 The Yorkshire Vet Julian and head nurse Sarah tend to an injured swan, and although she has an unexpected way with birds, the creature leaves her with an unexpected legacy; (S) 5 News Update (S)

9.00 Tribal Teens – Here Comes Trouble New series. British teenagers are challenged to live among the world's toughest tribes, tasked to survive in some of the planet's most extreme and hostile environments. (S)

10.00 Britain's Pushiest Parents Documentary about parents prepared to go to extreme lengths for their children, including Essex millionaire Irene and stockbroker, Bobby. (S)

11.00 The Best of Bad TV The series revisiting spectacular small-screen gaffes continues with a look at the on-air catastrophes of the 1990s, including the ill-fated Nazi sitcom Heil Honey, I'm Home! (S)(R)

DIGITAL

ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6
6.00 Planet's Funniest Animals **6.20** Dinner Date **7.15** The Ellen DeGeneres Show **8.00** Emmerdale **8.30** Coronation Street **9.30** Psych **10.20** Royal Pains **11.15** Dinner Date **12.15** Emmerdale **12.45** Coronation Street **1.45** The Ellen DeGeneres Show **2.35** The Jeremy Kyle Show **5.50** Take Me Out **6.50** The Hot Desk: Fleur East **7.00** You've Been Framed! **8.00** Two and a Half Men **9.00** FILM: Hot Fuzz (2007) (15) **10.05** FYI Daily **10.10** FILM: Hot Fuzz (2007) (15) **11.25** Family Guy **12.25** American Dad! **1.25** The Almost Impossible Gameshow **2.15** Teleshopping

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10
6.00 Doctor at Large **6.25** Heartbeat **7.30** Where the Heart Is **8.30** The Royal **9.35** Judge Judy **10.55** The Darling Buds of May **12.00** Murder, She Wrote **1.00** Heartbeat **2.05** The Royal **3.10** Where the Heart Is **4.15** Doctor at Large **4.50** On the Buses **5.20** George and Mildred **5.55** Heartbeat **6.55** Murder, She Wrote **8.00** Midsomer Murders **10.00** Prime Suspect V **12.10** The Darling Buds of May **1.10** Where the Heart Is **2.00** ITV3 Nightscreen **2.30** Teleshopping

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9
7.00 World News Today; Weather **7.30** National Treasures of Wales **8.00** The Engine That Powers the World: Timeshift **9.00** Britain's Treasure Islands **10.00** Jerusalem: The Making of a Holy City **11.00** Scotland's Vital Spark: The Clyde Puffer **12.00** A History of Ancient Britain **1.00** Paul Merton's Birth of Hollywood **2.00** Britain's Most Fragile Treasure

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28
6.00 Charmed **7.35** Hollyoaks **8.05** Rules of Engagement **9.00** Rude(ish) Tube **10.00** Baby Daddy **11.00** Charmed **1.00** How I Met Your Mother **2.00** The Big Bang Theory **3.00** Baby Daddy **4.00** How I Met Your Mother **5.00** Rude(ish) Tube **6.00** The Big Bang Theory **7.00** Hollyoaks **7.30** The Big Bang Theory **8.00** The Goldbergs **8.30** The Big Bang Theory **9.00** Rush Hour **10.00** Tattoo Fixers **11.00** The Big Bang Theory **12.00** The Goldbergs **12.30** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **1.00** The 100 **2.00** How I Met Your Mother **2.45** New Girl **3.05** Tattoo Fixers **4.00** A to Z **4.20** Rules of Engagement

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14
8.55 Jamie's Super Food **9.35** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **10.40** Time Team **12.50** Come Dine with Me **3.35** A New Life in the Sun **4.40** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **6.50** Posh Pawnbrokers **7.55** Grand Designs **9.00** Homes by the Med **10.00** The Hoarder Next Door **11.05** Undercover Boss USA **12.05** The Perfect Penis **1.10** Homes by the Med **2.15** Food Unwrapped's Christmas Dinner **3.15** Kirstie's Handmade Treasures **3.35** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15
11.00 3:10 to Yuma (1957) (PG) **12.45** The Devil at Four O'Clock (1961) (PG) **3.15** The Desert Rats (1953) (U) **5.05** Sink the Bismarck! (1960) (U) **7.05** Clueless (1995) (12) **9.00** Locke (2013) (15) **10.40** Bronson (2008) (18) **12.25** It's Complicated (2009) (15)

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12
7.00 Storage Hunters **7.25** Top Gear **9.00** American Pickers **10.00** American Pickers **11.00** Storage Hunters **12.00** Top Gear **2.00** American Pickers **3.00** Sin City Motors **4.00** Storage Hunters **5.00** Top Gear **6.00** American Pickers **7.00** American Pickers **8.00** Storage Hunters UK **9.00** QI XL **10.00** Room 101 **11.20** Would I Lie to You? **12.00** Mock the Week **1.20** Would I Lie to You? **2.00** 8 Out of 10 Cats **3.05** Never Mind the Buzzcocks

SKY1 SKY: 106
6.00 The Dog Whisperer **7.00** Monkey Life **8.00** RSPCA Animal Rescue **9.00** Modern Family **10.00** Hawaii Five-0 **12.00** Forever **1.00** Hawaii Five-0 **3.00** Modern Family **3.30** Jungle Book 3D: Special **4.00** Futurama **5.00** The Simpsons **5.30** Futurama **6.30** The Simpsons **8.00** The Flash **9.00** Micky Flanagan's Detour de France **10.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo **11.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **12.00** Hawaii Five-0 **2.00** Forever **3.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response **4.00** Stargate SG-1

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108
6.00 Networks of Power with Sir Christopher Meyer **7.00** The Guest Wing **8.00** House **10.00** The West Wing **11.00** Blue Bloods **12.00** Cold Case **1.00** Without a Trace **2.00** Urban Secrets **3.00** House **5.00** The West Wing **6.00** Blue Bloods **7.00** Cold Case **8.00** Without a Trace **9.00** The Tunnel: Sabotage **10.00** Camping **11.10** Happyish **12.20** The Tunnel: Sabotage **1.15** Girls **2.20** Vinyl **3.30** Blue Bloods **4.20** Networks of Power with Sir Christopher Meyer

W SKY: 109
6.00 Betty White's Off Their Rockers **6.25** Who Do You Think You Are? USA **7.20** EastEnders **8.00** MasterChef Australia **9.00** Heston's Fantastical Food **10.00** The Bill **11.00** Tipping Point **12.00** Wanted Down Under **1.00** My Dream Home **2.00** Heston's Fantastical Food **3.00** Who Do You Think You Are? USA **4.00** Wanted Down Under **5.00** My Dream Home **6.00** Tipping Point **8.00** River Cottage Spring **9.00** Grimm **10.00** EastEnders **10.40** The Catherine Tate Show **12.00** Emergency Bikers **1.00** Grimm **1.45** Saving Hope **2.35** Derren Brown: Trick of the Mind **3.00** Home Shopping

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Wednesday April 20th

BBC1

MasterChef, 8pm

6.00 Breakfast (S) **9.15 The Day I Met the Queen** (S) **10.00 Homes Under the Hammer** (S)(R) **11.00 The Sheriffs Are Coming** (S) **11.45 Thief Trackers** (S)(R) **12.15 Bargain Hunt** (S)(R) **1.00 BBC News at One; Weather** (S) **1.30 BBC Regional News and Weather** (S) **1.45 Doctors** (S) **2.15 The Code** Quiz, hosted by Matt Allwright. (S) **3.00 Escape to the Country** (S)(R) **3.45 Money for Nothing** (S) **4.30 Put Your Money Where Your Mouth Is** (S) **5.15 Pointless** (S) **6.00 BBC News at Six; Weather** (S) **6.30 BBC Regional News Programmes** (S) **6.55 Party Election Broadcast** (S)

7.00 The One Show Matt Baker and Alex Jones present the live magazine show featuring topical reports from around the UK and big-name studio guests; (S) BBC News; Regional News (S)

8.00 MasterChef Five contestants try their hand at professional service, preparing lunch at London restaurant, Craft, before showing John and Gregg what they have learnt in an Invention Test. (S)

9.00 Secret Britain Ellie Harrison, Chris Hollins and Denise Lewis explore Devon, including the area's best kept secrets and an ancient and long-forgotten purification ritual on Dartmoor. (S)

10.00 BBC News at Ten (S)
10.30 BBC Regional News and Weather; (S) National Lottery Update (S)
10.45 I Want My Wife Back Comedy, starring Ben Miller and Caroline Catz. (S)(R)

11.15 Boomers A newly single Mick returns from Spain. (S)(R)
11.45 Parkinson's: The Funny Side Paul Mayhew-Archer goes in search of a cure for Parkinson's. Last in the series. (S)(R)

AFTER 12 **12.15 Snooker: World Championship Extra** (S) **3.15** World Snooker: Crucible Classics (S) **5.15** Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **5.20** BBC News (S)

BBC2

Five Star Babies: Inside the Portland Hospital, 9pm

6.00 The Day I Met the Queen (S)(R) **6.45 The Sheriffs Are Coming** (S)(R) **7.30 Money for Nothing** (S)(R) **8.15 Put Your Money Where Your Mouth Is** (S)(R) **9.00 Sign Zone: Now You See It** (S)(R) **9.30 Sign Zone: Great British Menu** (S)(R) **10.00 Live Snooker: The World Championship** (S) **11.20 Lifeline** (S)(R) **11.30 Daily Politics** (S) **1.00 Live Snooker: The World Championship** The afternoon session on day five at the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield. (S) **6.00 Eggheads** (S) **6.30 The Hairy Bikers' Pubs That Built Britain** The duo uncover historic pubs in Manchester. (S)

7.00 Antiques Road Trip As auctioneers Charles Hanson and Raj Bisram take their road trip through Devon, with new boy Raj taking a big risk as the pair wend their way to auction in Exeter. (S)

8.00 Caravanner of the Year Six motorhome, caravan and camper van enthusiasts battle it out in the Caravan Club's inaugural competition to become Caravanner of the Year. (S)

9.00 Five Star Babies: Inside the Portland Hospital The Portland Hospital is placed under intense pressure with the arrival of a wave of VIPs, including a Middle Eastern Princess and a Premier League football player's wife. (S)

10.00 Normal for Norfolk Desmond and his farmhands work hard to shift strawberries and raspberries. (S)
10.30 Newsnight (S)

11.10 Weather (S)
11.15 Snooker: The World Championship The final session on the fifth day at the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield. (S)

12.05 Europe: Them or Us (S)(R) **1.05** Horizon: Should We Close Our Zoos? (S)(R) **2.05** Sign Zone: MasterChef (S)(R) **2.35** The Secret History of My Family (S)(R) **3.35** Workers or Shirkers? Ian Hislop's Victorian Benefits (S)(R)

ITV

Coronation Street, 7.30pm

6.00 Good Morning Britain (S) **8.30 Lorraine** (S) **9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S)(R) **10.30 This Morning** (S) **12.30 Loose Women** (S) **1.30 ITV Lunchtime News;** Weather (S) **1.55 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **2.00 Judge Rinder** Real-life cases in a studio courtroom. (S) **3.00 Chopping Block** Four couples face three cooking challenges. (S) **3.59 ITV Regional Weather** (S) **4.00 Tipping Point** Game show, hosted by Ben Shephard. (S) **5.00 The Chase** Quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh. (S) **6.00 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **6.30 ITV Evening News;** Weather (S)

7.00 Emmerdale Cain sets a trap for Moira. (S)
7.30 Coronation Street Will confesses to Michelle that he is thinking of calling off the wedding. (S)

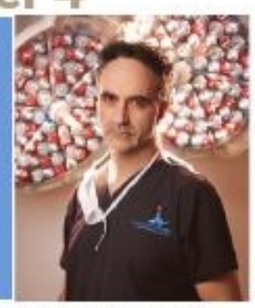
8.00 Tonight at the London Palladium Bradley Walsh welcomes Cyndi Lauper, Diversity, Ronan Keating, Troupe Diabolo, and The Royal British Legion Band and Corps of Drums Romford to the stage. (S)

9.00 Scott & Bailey Rachel's safety is thrown into question when the killers change the rules of their sick game. Meanwhile, as a police officer, Janet is powerless to protect her daughter. (S)

10.00 ITV News; Weather (S)
10.30 ITV Regional News; Weather (S)
10.45 FILM Along Came Polly (2004) (12) Romantic comedy, with Ben Stiller and Jennifer Aniston. (S)

12.25 Jackpot247 3.00 ITV Nightscreen **5.05** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R)

Channel 4


The Supervet, 8pm

6.00 Countdown (S)(R) **6.45 Will & Grace** (S)(R) **8.00 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **9.00 Frasier** (S)(R) **10.30 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA** (S)(R) **11.30 Four in a Bed** (S)(R) **12.00 Channel 4 News** (S) **12.05 Four in a Bed** (S)(R) **2.10 Fifteen to One** General knowledge quiz. (S) **3.10 Countdown** With Dictionary Corner guest Dave Myers. (S) **4.00 Couples Come Dine with Me** Three more couples compete. (S)(R) **5.00 Four in a Bed** The third day takes place at Halliwel House in Cheshire. (S) **5.30 Too Many Cooks** (S) **6.00 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **6.30 Hollyoaks** (S)

7.00 Channel 4 News (S)

8.00 The Supervet A one-year-old Saint Bernard suffering with hip dysplasia is brought to the clinic, while Noel treats a thirteen-year-old collie that has been hit by a car. (S)

9.00 24 Hours in Police Custody New series. Bedfordshire Police investigate banging coming from inside a refrigerated HGV lorry that recently passed through Dover after crossing the Channel. (S)

10.00 Murder in Paradise Examining the murders of British backpackers Hannah Witheridge and David Miller, who were found dead near their hotel in Koh Tao, Thailand in the early hours of 15 September 2014. (S)

11.05 The Island with Bear Grylls Patrick and Sarah seek comfort in each other, while the relations between the rest of the contestants start to disintegrate. (S)(R)

12.05 FILM Music on 4: Murder Rap: Inside the Biggie and Tupac Murders (2015) (15) (S) **2.05 FILM Stakeout (1987) (15)** (S) **4.05** Location, Location, Location (S)(R) **5.00** Kirstie's Handmade Treasures (S)(R)

Channel 5

Nightmare Tenants, Slum Landlords, 10pm

6.00 Milkshake! 9.15 The Wright Stuff 11.15 Cowboy Builders (S)(R) **12.10 5 News Lunchtime** (S) **12.15 The Gadget Show** (S) **1.15 Home and Away** (S) **1.45 Neighbours** (S) **2.15 NCIS: Los Angeles** Eric goes undercover when a rocket engine expert is killed. (S)(R) **3.15 FILM Social Nightmare (2013) (12)** Mystery thriller, starring Kirsten Prout. (S) **5.00 5 News at 5** (S) **5.30 Neighbours** The person who planted evidence to frame Paul is unveiled. (S)(R) **6.00 Home and Away** A woman claiming to be Irene's long-lost daughter arrives in the Bay. (S)(R) **6.30 5 News Tonight** (S)

7.00 Police Interceptors Kev pepper-sprays a suspect resisting arrest, while Richie and his colleagues and his colleagues undertake a tactical pursuit; (S) (R) 5 News Update (S)

8.00 GPs: Behind Closed Doors Dr William Laird summons an ambulance for a baby girl with breathing difficulties; (S) 5 News Update (S)

9.00 Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away Agents Stewart and Elmore are met with lies and aggression when they track down nearly £3,000. (S)

10.00 Nightmare Tenants, Slum Landlords A landlady calls in eviction specialist Paul after discovering her property is being rented out as a boutique hotel online. (S)

11.00 The Tube: Going Underground Staff face their busiest and most unusual shift on New Year's Eve. (S)(R)

DIGITAL

ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6

6.00 Planet's Funniest Animals **6.20** Dinner Date **7.15** The Ellen DeGeneres Show **8.00** Emmerdale **8.30** The Cube **9.30** Psych **10.20** Royal Pains **11.15** Dinner Date **12.15** Emmerdale **12.45** The Cube **1.45** The Ellen DeGeneres Show **2.35** The Jeremy Kyle Show **5.50** Take Me Out **7.00** You've Been Framed! **8.00** Two and a Half Men **9.00** The Almost Impossible Gameshow **10.00** Plebs **10.30** Family Guy **11.30** American Dad! **12.30** Glitchy **12.55** Two and a Half Men **1.25** Scorpion **2.15** Mark Ronson: The Hot Desk

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10

6.00 Doctor at Large **6.25** Heartbeat **7.30** Where the Heart Is **8.30** The Royal **9.35** Judge Judy **10.55** The Darling Buds of May **12.00** Murder, She Wrote **1.00** Heartbeat **2.05** The Royal **3.10** Where the Heart Is **4.15** Doctor at Large **4.50** On the Buses **5.20** George and Mildred **5.55** Heartbeat **7.00** Murder, She Wrote **8.00** Rosemary & Thyme **9.00** Long Lost Family **10.00** Wycliffe **11.10** A Is for Acid **1.10** The Darling Buds of May

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9

7.00 World News Today; Weather **7.30** National Treasures of Wales **8.00** Britain's Treasure Islands **9.00** FILM: Miss Potter (2006) (PG) **10.30** Roy Orbison: One of the Lonely Ones **11.30** The Engine That Powers the World: Timeshift **12.30** Ian Hislop's Scouting for Boys **1.30** Bunkers, Brutalism and Bloodymindedness: Concrete Poetry with Jonathan Meades **2.30** The Man Who Fought the Planners: The Story of Ian Nairn

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28

6.00 Charmed **7.35** Hollyoaks **8.05** Rules of Engagement **9.00** Rude(ish) Tube **10.00** Baby Daddy **11.00** Charmed **1.00** How I Met Your Mother **2.00** The Big Bang Theory **3.00** Baby Daddy **4.00** How I Met Your Mother **5.00** Rude(ish) Tube **6.00** The Big Bang Theory **7.00** Hollyoaks **7.30** Jane the Virgin **8.30** The Big Bang Theory **9.00** The 100 **10.00** Supernatural **11.00** The Big Bang Theory **12.00** The Inbetweeners **1.05** The 100 **2.05** Supernatural **2.50** Rude Tube **3.45** 2 Broke Girls **4.05** A to Z **4.25** Rules of Engagement

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14

8.55 Jamie's 15 Minute Meals **9.35** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **10.40** Time Team **12.50** Come Dine with Me **3.35** A New Life in the Sun **4.40** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **6.50** Posh Pawnbrokers **7.55** Grand Designs **9.00** Location, Location, Location **10.00** 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown **11.10** 24 Hours in A&E **12.10** Undercover Boss USA **1.10** Location, Location, Location **2.15** Food Unwrapped Diet Special **3.20** Hugh's 3 Good Things: Best Bites **3.35** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15

11.00 Twelve O'Clock High (1949) (U) **1.40** Bear Island (1979) (PG) **4.00** Reach for the Sky (1956) (U) **6.50** Mission: Impossible (1996) (PG) **9.00** Tinker Tailor Soldier Spy (2011) (15) **11.30** This Means War (2012) (12) **1.25** Prizzi's Honor (1985) (15) **4.00** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12

7.00 Storage Hunters **7.20** Top Gear **9.00** American Pickers **10.00** American Pickers **11.00** Storage Hunters UK **11.30** Storage Hunters **12.00** Top Gear **2.00** American Pickers **3.00** Sin City Motors **4.00** Storage Hunters UK **4.30** Storage Hunters **5.00** Top Gear **6.00** American Pickers **7.00** American Pickers **8.00** Top Gear **9.00** Have I Got a Bit More News for You **10.00** Mock the Week **11.20** Would I Lie to You? **12.00** QI XL **1.00** Mock the Week **2.20** 8 Out of 10 Cats **2.55** Russell Howard's Good News **3.25** The World of Stupid Criminals **4.00** Home Shopping

SKY1 SKY: 106

6.00 The Dog Whisperer **7.00** Monkey Life **8.00** RSPCA Animal Rescue **9.00** Modern Family **9.30** Nothing to Declare **10.00** Hawaii Five-0 **12.00** Forever **1.00** Hawaii Five-0 **3.00** Extreme Phobias, Extreme Cures **4.00** Futurama **5.00** The Simpsons **5.30** Futurama **6.30** The Simpsons **8.00** Arrow **9.00** Limitless **10.00** The Force: Manchester **11.00** Colony **12.00** Hawaii Five-0 **2.00** Forever **3.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response **4.00** Stargate SG-1

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108

6.00 Networks of Power with Sir Christopher Meyer **7.00** The Guest Wing **8.00** House **10.00** The West Wing **11.00** Blue Bloods **12.00** Cold Case **1.00** Without a Trace **2.00** Urban Secrets **3.00** House **5.00** The West Wing **6.00** Blue Bloods **7.00** Cold Case **8.00** Without a Trace **9.00** Blue Bloods **10.00** Happyish **11.00** Dexter **1.20** Six Feet Under **2.30** 100 Code **4.20** Networks of Power with Sir Christopher Meyer **5.10** The Guest Wing

W SKY: 109

6.00 Betty White's Off Their Rockers **6.25** Who Do You Think You Are? USA **7.20** EastEnders **8.00** MasterChef Australia **9.00** Heston's Fantastical Food **10.00** The Bill **11.00** Tipping Point **12.00** Wanted Down Under **1.00** My Dream Home **2.00** Heston's Fantastical Food **3.00** Who Do You Think You Are? USA **4.00** Wanted Down Under **5.00** My Dream Home **6.00** Tipping Point **8.00** River Cottage Spring **9.00** Criminal Minds: Beyond Borders **10.00** Crisis **11.00** Motorway Cops **12.00** Emergency Bikers **12.55** Saving Hope **1.40** Derren Brown: Trick of the Mind **3.00** Home Shopping

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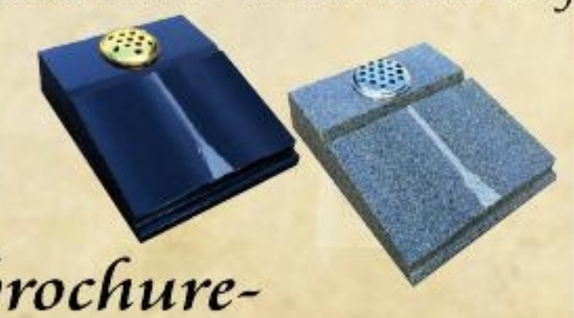

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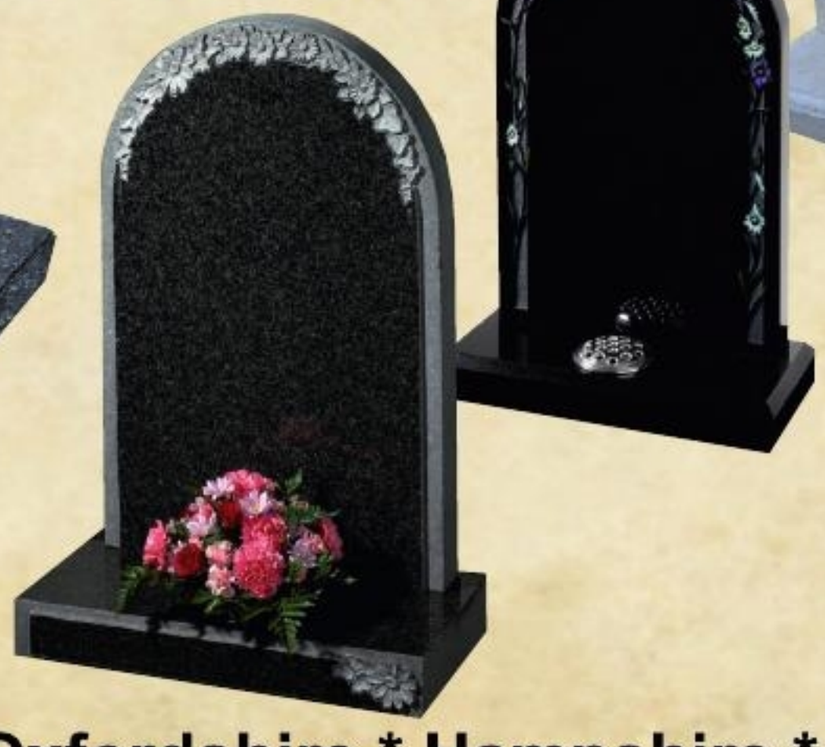

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Fun's on menu for food festival

FUN will be on the menu when Raymond Blanc's 'Festival of Flavour' is staged at the Brasserie Blanc in Oxford from Monday to Sunday, April 11 to 17.

By **James Richings**

The festival at the Walton Street restaurant will celebrate food and flavour with a variety of new taste experiences, including complimentary tasters and adventurous amuse bouches.

• Raymond Blanc

And with the event also being held at other Brasserie Blanc's across the country, Raymond hopes it will be a week to remember in the city that made his name.

Raymond told the Oxfordshire Guardian: "The festival is about having fun with food and exploring new flavours.

"We've noticed that so many of our diners opt for more daring dishes at Brasserie Blanc such as Escargot and Steak Tartare, so we're encouraging all our guests to step out of their comfort zones and explore different dishes and ingredients.

"Festival of Flavour is also about celebrating a particular moment of a season. Taste the first tender British asparagus, the best spring lamb and seasonal, sustainably sourced fish. Each of these flavours is about authenticity and the ever-changing cycle of the seasons."

The 66-year-old added: "Of course, the heart of the festival is food, but the festival wouldn't be what it is without your loved ones around you with Sunday, April 17, being a family day with lots of fun activities.

"Everyone can do the 'super-taster' challenge to find out if they have more sensitive tastebuds than their nearest and dearest."

After moving to England in 1972 with very little English, the then 22-year-old took a job as a waiter at the Rose Revived restaurant at Newbridge, between Witney and Abingdon.

But one day when the head chef called in sick, Raymond stood in for him in a move that was to change his life for the better.

His leadership and cooking skills were to see him become one of the most successful chefs of the modern age.

Five years after he first stepped foot in the country, Raymond opened his first restaurant, Les Quat'Saisons in Summertown, which won the Egon Ronay Restaurant of the Year Award and achieved two prestigious Michelin stars within two years.

He has since opened a number of Brasserie Blanc restaurants across the country, and was awarded an OBE in 2008.

For further information about the festival, visit www. brasserieblanc.com/diary/introducing-festival-flavour-2016/

Folk-rockers make city return

AFTER a number of successful shows in the county, folk-rock band Moulettes will be returning to Oxfordshire on Friday, April 22.

The fivesome arrives at The Cellar as part of their UK tour, following the release of their latest album 'Preternatural'.

"In early 2015 we were reading an article in the New Scientist about new life forms deep underground and undersea and we started thinking about a concept for the new album," lead singer Hannah Miller told the Guardian.

"The article compelled me to look deeper and start exploring all the surreal and beautiful diversity that exists. There are so many phenomenal creatures, they deserve more than one album! During the writing process, we watched a lot of David Attenborough and were really inspired by the insights his documentaries offer."

Made up of Hannah Miller (lead vocals, cello and guitar), Oliver Austin (drums, guitar, percussion and vocals), Ruth Skipper (co-lead vocals, bassoon and autoharp), Jim Mortimore (bass and vocals) and Raevennan Husbandes (electric guitar and co-lead vocals), the Brighton band will be joined by fellow bands Water Pagent and Bandicoot for their first gig at the Frewin Court venue.

• The Moulettes

And if their gig next Friday is as good as one of their previous visits to the city, 'which induced labour in an audience member' according to Hannah, audience members will be in for a treat.

"We've had a few great shows and festivals in and around Oxford," she said.

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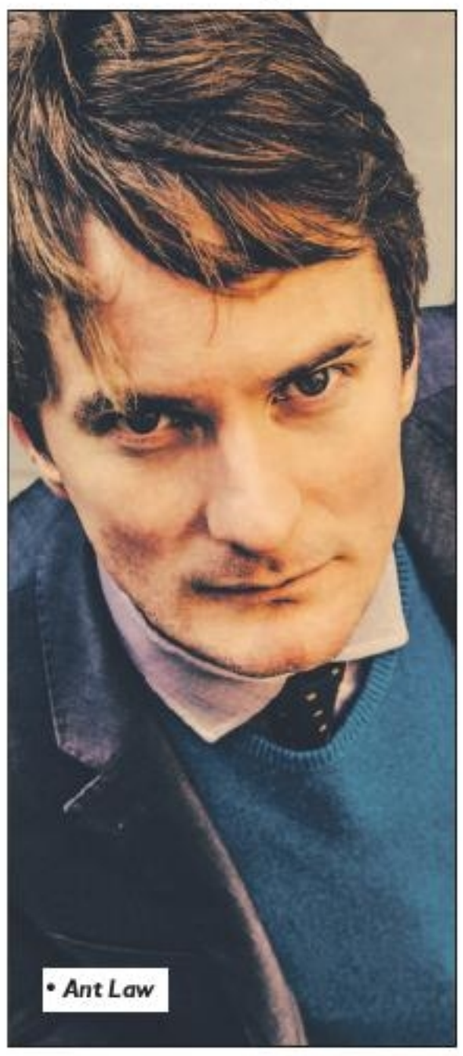
Chapel hosts jazz gig


• Ant Law

By **James Richings**

EXPECT a night of modern jazz with a heavy Indian influence when musician Ant Law arrives at Warneford Chapel in Oxford on Monday, April 18.

The musician, who is embarking on a short UK tour, comes to the Warneford Lane venue to perform tracks from his latest album, 'One', with Ant revealing to the Guardian what inspired him to record his latest hits.

"One is an album by Tim Garland that I played on with fellow musician Asaf Sirkis," he said.

"And as for Tim's inspiration behind it, I suspect it was unity because there is a track using an Arabic rhythm called a Samaii featuring Egyptian percussionist Hossam Ramzy, which may be addressing the problems the Middle East."

Ant's appearance in Oxford will not be a lonely one as he will be joined by fellow musicians and friends Conor Chaplin on the bass and drummer Asaf Sirkis.

And with this gig being the first of two performances in the city in quick succession for Ant, he hopes that his unique instrumental sounds will encourage music enthusiasts to listen to music that they are usually not familiar with.

He also wants to help inspire a new generation of musicians.

Ant along with musicians Tim Garland, Jason Rebello and Asaf Sirkis will also gig at the Spin Jazz Club on Thursday, April 21.

"I think it's really important for people to experience live music," Ant said.

"I find it amazing, fulfilling and spiritual watching bands, soloists, operas and orchestras.

"I hate to think how boring life must be for those who don't check out all types of music.

"Of course, there's also the issue that if the younger generation don't engage with music, and eventually no-one will be interested in it or be able to contextualise it.

"However, if they do, because it's amazing, and I'm not really worried about that."

He added: "I'd love to continue working with the people I work with currently as relationships develop a great deal and this comes out in the music.

"And I know this might seem off topic but I've always loved Stevie Wonder's music, so if I ever play with him I'll die a happy man."

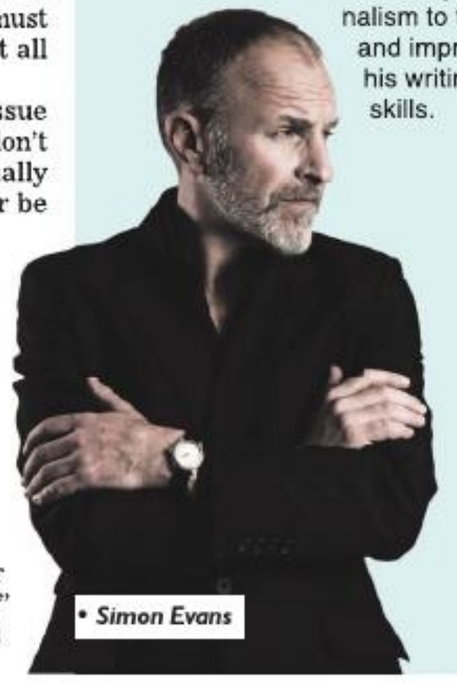
The gig starts at 7pm and tickets cost £5.

Comic Simon to visit city

LUTON-BASED comedian Simon Evans will be appearing at The Glee Club on Thursday, April 28.

The 50-year-old arrives at the Hythe Bridge Street venue as part of his UK tour, which will also see him visit venues in Aylesbury, Gloucester and Nottingham among many others.

After achieving a degree in law at Southampton University, Simon moved into journalism to try and improve his writing skills.


• Simon Evans

And it was after he was asked to write a review about a comedy show that Simon decided to give comedy a go.

"I really didn't think I would make a living out of stand-up even when I was doing the open spots," Simon told the Guardian.

"It seemed more like fun and a way of honing my writing skills because you get found out quickly if your writing isn't up to it.

"You can present something to an editor who can decide if something is funny or not in a paper, but if you're doing it up in front of an audience, they either laugh or they don't."

He added: "One of the things I'm trying to get across in the show is that this is still quite similar to the sort of subject matter you'd approach in comedy.

"It is mainly about human behaviour and idiosyncrasies.

"Traditional comedy is about the gap between what we like to think we're like and what we're actually like if you take a step back and look at it."

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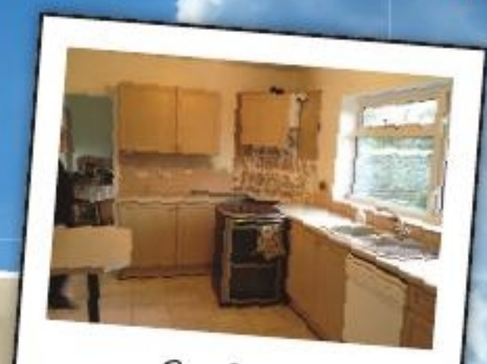

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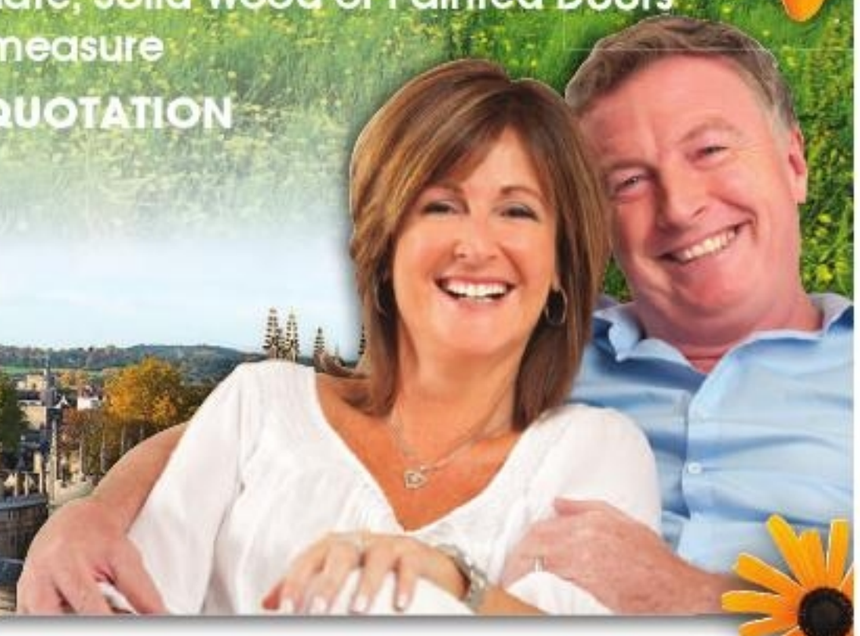

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Seth steps out for Unicorn debut

• Seth Lakeman (photo courtesy of www.facebook.com/sethlakeman)

FOLK artist Seth Lakeman is usually known for performing with his musical siblings Sam and Sean.

But on Friday, April 22, Seth will stepping out at the Unicorn Theatre, Abingdon, as a solo performer as part of his UK tour.

The gig, which is expected to be a sell-out, is one of the last shows of the tour before Seth and his band jet off to perform all over Europe.

And with Seth performing tracks from his album, 'Word of Mouth', which was released two years ago, along with pieces from his new album due to be released in September, he hopes his first appearance at the Thames Street theatre will be a show to remember.

"Since this is a solo show, it will be quite different to the band performance, as there is more of an emphasis on lyrics and stories," he told the Guardian.

"I've never been there but I'm really looking forward to it and performing to live audiences that show gratitude to you gives you a chance to look at some of the songs from a different perspective."

Seth is regarded as one of the most successful folk musicians and multi-instrumentalists in Britain.

Since making his breakthrough at the age of 17, Seth, along with his brothers, have toured all over the world and have released numerous albums between them.

By **James Richings**

Seth won both the Singer of the Year and Best Album Award at the 2007 BBC Radio Folk Awards.

He was also nominated for a Mercury Music Prize for his album, 'Kitty Jay', two years previously.

Seth said: "I think people going to see live shows gives them a chance to understand the overall energy and messages of an artist or an artist.

"And if you want to make it in music, it is very important to have a brand or a good name people can attach to you, and you must always keep striving forward. You should never compromise who you are."

He added: "I first got into music from my family as they used run a folk club in Plymouth.

"And if I had to choose the highlight of my career so far, it would be playing at the side of a lake at the World Music Festival in Malawi."

Seth's support act at the Unicorn gig will be a fellow folk musician, Lucy Kitt.

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The first of the last? Terry Pratchett versus the Bard

• Rory Morrison as William Shakespeare

LIKE many thousands, I grew up reading the books created by the maniacal imagination of the late great master of wit and magic, Sir Terry Pratchett.

By **Alex Ballinger**

So I swam at the chance to see a stage adaptation of his works like his colossal turtle through the cosmos.

It was 25 years ago that Oxford's Stephen Briggs first staged one of the master's pieces, Wyrd Sisters, making it the first Pratchett novel acted out anywhere in the world.

The most recent addition to the Studio Theatre Club's universe of Pratchett marks two historic dates in literary history by liberally splashing together a tale from the Discworld and Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream.

April 2016 sees the 400th anniversary of the Bard's death, and what would have been Pratchett's 68th birthday.

The most poignant part of Briggs' latest tale, The Shakespeare Codex, hit me around halfway through the first act: this would be the first of the last of Pratchett on stage, since Bill Door came knocking last March

The great man is no longer here to spew out his powerful imagination, not around to pen new tales for us to stage, so we are left without additions to the Discworld saga.

But because of this, I loved The Shakespeare Codex: it was something special, a barrage of farce and wit that would have made Pratchett proud.

And seeing the works of Pratchett and the Bard side by side felt nothing but appropriate and I quickly came to see that this was not the beginning of the end, because his work would survive him.

In the year 2415, I would expect to see a year's worth of events commemorating the 400th anniversary of Pratchett's passing. This play sees a band of wizards battle elves to ensure Shakespeare pens his timeless works.

Stand-out performances came from Dan Booth as the terrified and inept wizard Rincewind, the lynchpin of the Unseen University, Ponder Stibbons, played by Brian Mackenwells, and Natasha Warner as the Elf Queen.

Rory Morrison also played Shakespeare with the likeability we all hope the real playwright had.

The charming touch of the am drams doesn't detract anything from the tale and Briggs' sense of humour doesn't blunt in transition from Pratchett's sharp nib.

Abingdon's Unicorn Theatre plays no small part in the magic on stage.

The medieval building suits the mysterious and ancient feel of the play and at times even holds the air of Shakespeare's famous Globe theatre in London.

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Jigsaw Stage Productions are returning to the Cornerstone, Didcot, with a sparkling production of that favourite family show ... Annie, the Musical. Set in 1930s New York during the Great Depression, it tells the story of young Annie, who does not let life at Miss Hannigan's grim orphanage beat her down. Rather she never gives up hope of finding her real parents.
Her luck changes when she is chosen to spend Christmas at the residence of famous billionaire, Oliver Warbucks. Spiteful Miss Hannigan has other ideas and hatches a plan to spoil Annie's search ... The production includes such unforgettable songs as It's a Hard Knock Life, Easy Street and Tomorrow.

Thu, Apr 14, 7.15pm
Unicorn Theatre, Abingdon
MEGAN HENWOOD
It's been nearly four years since the award-winning singer-songwriter released her debut album, and while much in her life has changed, the only difference in how Megan approaches her work. If anything, she's even more determined to make music that defies the boundaries and boxes others have sometimes tried to place around this most singular and distinctive of new British voices.

Fri, Apr 15, 6.30pm
O2 Academy, Oxford
SPACE
90s scouse indie rockers Space unleashed their new single "Strange World" in 2015 - a record that featured the band's signature sound with a hint of Mariachi.

Sun, Apr 17, 11am
Cornerstone Arts Centre, Didcot
THE OWL WHO WAS AFRAID OF THE DARK
Based on the bestselling children's classic by Jill Tomlinson and adapted for the stage by the Blunderbus team, this delightful children's show tells the tale of Plop the baby barn owl.
Plop is exactly the same as every barn owl that has ever been - except for one thing. Plop is AFRAID of the DARK. Follow Plop's adventures as he journeys into the night-time world of camp-fires, fireworks, starry nights and moonlit adventures.
This gentle, reassuring tale is brought to life with an irresistible blend of music, puppetry and storytelling.

Mon, Apr 18, 7.45pm
The Theatre, Chipping Norton
SWING
An international hit, fresh from New York, Paris, Edinburgh and New Zealand. Swing is a comedy about dancing and music and love and not settling and feeling like an eejit and being brave and having doubts and trying your best and trying new things and thinking outside the box and seeing things clearly and living as well as you can and giving it a lash. Laced with fantastic rock and roll music, It'll make you want to dance and fall in love again.

Wed, Apr 20, 7.30pm
The Theatre, Chipping Norton
FREEHELD
Scripted by the award winning writer of Philadelphia, this is the true love story of Laurel (Julianne Moore) and Stacie (Ellen Page) and their fight for justice. A decorated police detective, Laurel is diagnosed with cancer and wants to leave her hard earned pension to her domestic partner, Stacie. However the county officials, Freeholders, conspire against this. A struggle for equality and justice begins.

Wed, Apr 20 – Sat, Apr 23
The Mill Arts Centre, Banbury
THE HOLLOW
Gathered at the home of Sir Henry and Lucy Angkatell are various guests including Dr John Cristow, his mistress, Henrietta, his ex-mistress Veronica, and his wife, Gerda. Veronica wants to marry Cristow but he refuses to divorce Gerda. Veronica declares if she can't have him no-one else will.

Sat, Apr 21, 7.45pm
The Theatre, Chipping Norton
GYLES BRANDRETH
Join Edinburgh Fringe award winner Gyles Brandreth – wit and word-meister, former MP and Government Whip, Just A Minute regular, One Show reporter, OI, Have I Got News For You, Room 101, IT Crowd, Pointless and Countdown survivor - on an uproarious and unexpected magic carpet ride around the awesome world of words.

Thu, Apr 21, 7pm
O2 Academy, Oxford
THE JAMES HUNTER SIX
James Hunter is back with his latest album, Hold On! Hunter has been on the scene for enough

years to acquire plenty of feathers in his cap: Billboard charts, Grammy nominations, and Van Morrison collaborations.
On top of all this, he has earned an international reputation as a rhythm and blues troubadour for his command of the microphone, both on stage and in studio. This album, however, is something far deeper than just another notch in his belt. It is truly an artist's vision come to fruition.

Thu, Apr 21, 7pm
The Beacon, Wantage
OPERA UNMASKED AIDA

Giuseppe Verdi's Opera set in Egypt – with Pavarotti and Margaret Price in glorious voice. Please note this is a screening of a famous opera not a live opera performance.
http://beaconwantage.co.uk/community-events

Fri, Apr 22, 8pm
Cornerstone Arts Centre, Didcot
RORY MCGRATH
McGrath became a member of the Footlights while at Cambridge and met Jimmy Mulville with whom he wrote and performed. After university, they wrote BBC radio scripts for Frankie Howerd and Windsor Davies, and went on to write for shows such as Not the Nine O' Clock News. You will also remember Rory came to us in September 2014 with Bridge over Troubled Lager which went down a storm. So, brace yourselves – he's back and he contains adult themes.

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"It was an amazing atmosphere in the club over the whole weekend and to see people so excited about winning the Bingo Car was fantastic. We regularly have big winners into the thousands of pounds but to give someone the opportunity to drive away in our Bingo Car was a great feeling." **Laurie Carpenter (Director)**

James and another customer both called on 14 calls so there was a playoff on for the car on Easter Monday. James won the playoff, and the car, and the runner up took £1000.

James has been a member of our club since January 2015.

The prize was a Fiat 500 that we had previously used as an advertising tool for the club. The runner up took away £1000.

"It was a generous prize from the Coronet and it was a tense finale. We Are very pleased to have won and maybe Laurie could donate a speedboat or light aircraft as the next prize!" **James**

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West Berkshire based Elvis tribute band TROUBLE celebrated their first year of performing live shows in December 2015 and are rapidly rising to become one of the best known Elvis tribute shows in the south. Trouble is a 7 piece band led by talented singer Darren Boyce who takes on the Elvis role, joined by a great group of musicians featuring Max Hunt on Keyboards plus Guitarist, Bass player, Drummer and backing Vocalists.

The band was formed in 2014 to produce a top quality authentic Elvis tribute show covering the 1950s through to Elvis's last recordings and features rare and top quality projected imagery and even the use of lazers. The band's passion and dynamism hasn't waned, as they continue to recreate some of the amazing moments of "The King" , where the songs are amazingly authentic and you won't be able to stop joining in with your favourites. If you're an Elvis fan or just like his music, this a great tribute and unforgettable Elvis experience, that will have you captivated from the moment the show starts, reliving some of the excitement the King and his performances created.

A Little Less conversation - A Evening with TROUBLE performing ELVIS will take place on Saturday 30th April at the fantastic Didcot Civic Centre, Didcot, where the band return for their second year in a row. The evening will consist of a 3 set show, performing some of the favourite ballads the King released and plenty of Rock'nRoll giving a great opportunity to dance the night away.

TROUBLE will be performing their brand new 2016 show, including 3 full sets with many new numbers, new costumes and a new enhanced seven piece line-up. The show is over three hours long with plenty of good music for dancing from the start. The band have further developed their own self-contained lighting and projection show, with new effects and imagery making the whole show a complete audio/visual experience, telling the story of one of the greatest live performers of all time.

The doors will open at 7:00PM with dinner being served from 7:45pm

Tickets are available and are £ 15.00 each or a table of 10 for £ 135.00 and £ 13.50 per ticket thereafter.

Tickets can be purchased from: The Didcot Civic Centre directly (01235) 512436

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Details can also be found on **www.elvisinttrouble.com**

LISTINGS

Fri, Apr 22, 6.30pm
O2 Academy, Oxford

BILLY OCEAN-WHEN THE GOING GETS TOUGH 30TH ANNIVERSARY TOUR

Billy Ocean is the biggest black recording star Britain has ever produced, one who has sold over 30 million records in his lifetime. He has collected Gold and Platinum records and hit the Number 1 spot worldwide but this tour celebrates the 30th anniversary of Billy's hit record, When The Going Gets Tough.

Fri, Apr 22, 7.15pm
Unicorn Theatre, Abingdon

SETH LAKEMAN

Folk singer, songwriter and virtuoso fiddler Seth Lakeman is playing a special solo gig at the Unicorn.

Sat, Apr 23, 8pm
The Mill Arts Centre, Banbury

LA TIPICA

This is the 6th year of the highly successful Spanish Nights at The Mill Arts Centre. These shows always sell out as The Mill provides an intimate venue that is perfect for seeing breathtaking professional Flamenco shows.

Sat, Apr 23, 6pm
O2 Academy, Oxford

BENJAMIN FRANCIS LEFTWICH

Five long years after the release of his debut, Benjamin Francis Leftwich is ready to lay himself bare. Following the release of his 2011 acclaimed debut album, Last Smoke Before the Snowstorm, Leftwich's life was thrown into an unexpected path when he went through one of the hardest things in life: the loss of his father. 2016 sees Leftwich return to performing and his eagerly anticipated new album, After The Rain.

Sat, Apr 23, 7.30pm
Cornerstone Arts Centre, Didcot

STONES IN HIS POCKETS

A quiet Irish village community is turned upside down with the arrival of a Hollywood film crew, looking for the 'real' Ireland for their latest schmaltzy blockbuster. A pair of extras, Charlie and Jake, watch with amazement, envy and delight as cultures clash, divas strop and everyone fights over the last portion of lemon meringue pie. In this production from Chipping Norton Theatre, two actors play a vast array of eccentric characters with poignancy and sincerity all performed at breakneck pace.

Sun, Apr 24, 8pm
The Mill Arts Centre, Banbury

FAY HIELD

Folk singer Fay Hield's first two solo albums, Looking Glass and Orfeo, received great critical acclaim winning her nominations for the BBC Radio 2 Folk Awards, and for Folk Singer of the Year in 2013. Her highly distinctive material and vocals reflect a rare sensitivity.

Sun, Apr 24, 3pm
The Beacon, Wantage

BALLET THEATRE UK: PINOCCHIO

Join Ballet Theatre UK as we tell the tale of a wooden puppet carved from pine with but only one wish...to become a real boy.
Follow Pinocchio, the cheeky marionette puppet with an unruly nose, on his epic quest as he overcomes obstacles, faces consequences and even ends up in the belly of a whale yet proves to all that dreams really do come true.
Pinocchio, joined with iconic characters such as Gepetto, The Blue Fairy and Jiminy Cricket, will take you on a heartfelt journey of discovery.
Set to a stunning classical score this original production will delight ballet audiences and families alike and promises to carve a new love for Pinocchio through the magic of classical dance.

Wed, Apr 27, 7.30pm
New Theatre, Oxford

THE DREAM BOYS

The Dreamboys are without a shadow of a doubt the UK's top Male Strip Show, perfect for a girls night out with all your friends. Their showcase is unquestionably the most famous Male Stripper act the UK has ever produced. With special guest appearances on some of the UK's biggest TV shows such as The X Factor, Britain's Got Talent, Celebrity Big Brother, Loose Women, This Morning, The Alan Titchmarsh Show and The Only Way Is Essex, plus massive sold out Worldwide Tours, it's no wonder The Dreamboys have earned themselves the title of the only Male Strip Group in history to have celebrity status.

Fri, Apr 29, 7.45pm
The Theatre, Chipping Norton

ROB BECKETT

Beckett's back with a brand-new hour of funnies and he's taking on the big issues like Kit Kats and flatbread! Star of Live at the Apollo, Mock the Week and 8 out of 10 Cats.

Sat, Apr 30 – Sun, Apr 1
New Theatre, Oxford

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Praise for gearbox and interior with Mazda's latest model, as well as its host of technological offerings

New Mazda put through its paces

By **Tony Yates**

POWER AND EFFICIENCY: The CX-3 is powered by Mazda's SKYACTIV-D Diesel, four-cylinder in-line, DOHC, 16-valve engine. Nought to 62 mph is dealt with in 10.1 seconds, moving on to a top speed of 110 mph.

The CX-3 official fuel economy figures from Mazda were 70.6mpg (combined) with a CO2 rating of 105 g/km, although the best I could get was around 50mpg, but then I was not trying to get near what Mazda say.

ON THE ROAD: I like the way the CX-3 handles the road – it feels very well balanced.

When the road gets twisty – it is more than capable of holding its own. The steering feels light and you get a lot of feedback from the front wheels as to what the surface below you is doing.

Also, when you hook all this up to its fantastic six speed gearbox – you can't really go wrong - it's no exaggeration for me to say that I think the CX-3 is the best crossover to drive on the road at the moment.

DESIGN AND INTERIOR: My test car was fitted with leather seating which lifts even the most boring cockpit – but no worries here as Mazda have made one of the best interiors I have seen so far this year.

All the controls are right there when you need them and the dials/readouts are all clear and fresh looking.

The seats were also very hugging and the driving position was very good with plenty of room in the back for three adults - even people who are 6ft plus.

Add in the CX-3s good size boot and you start to see how it all fits together.

TECHNOLOGY: Some of the standard features on the CX-3 SE/SE Nav; daytime running lights, cruise control , seven inch colour touch-screen display with AM/FM/DAB radio with six speakers, CD player, USB and iPod, dynamic stability control and traction control system.

TO SUM UP: I like the CX-3 – I am now looking to replace my current Seat with dare I say it – a CX-3.

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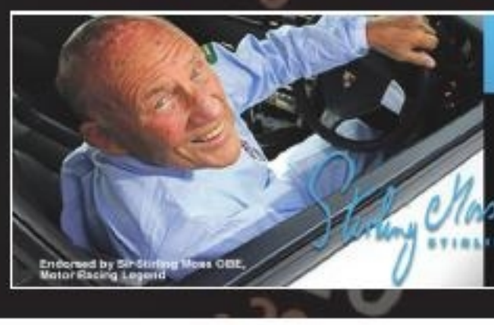

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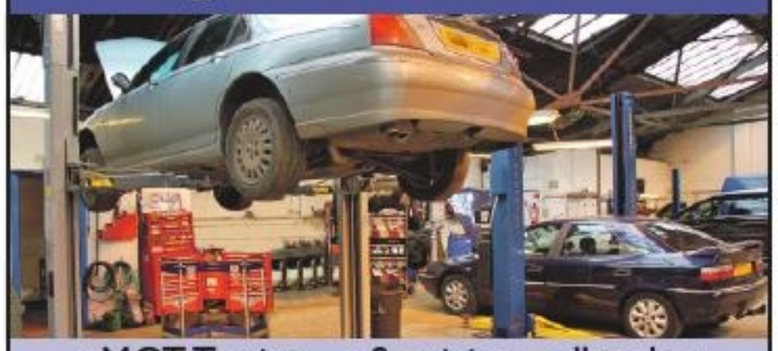

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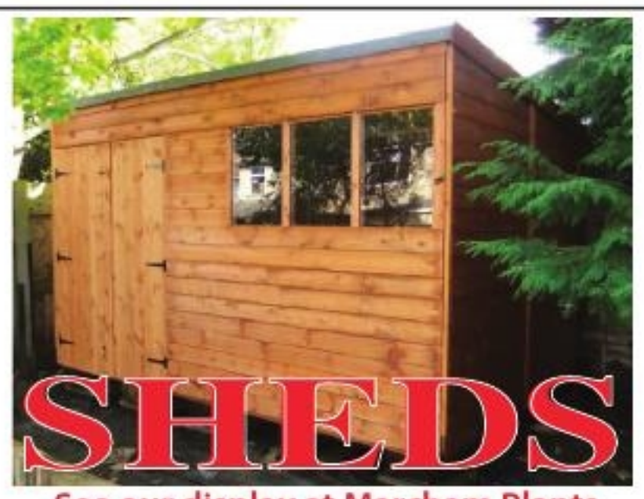

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Ben and Mike's journey to success

By **James Richings**

WHEN Ben Thompson was injured in a horrific road accident back in June 2008, his life was changed forever.

The promising rugby player was badly hurt when he and six friends walked along the A338 between Frilford and East Hanney, near Wantage nearly eight years ago, where he sustained a broken foot and neck.

However, after recovering from his injuries, Ben, along with friend Mike Terry teamed up and started their own business, 'Thompson & Terry'.

Founded in August 2014, the company, which is based at Merchant House on St Helen Street in Abingdon, is an independent recruitment consultancy service, which specialises in selecting and placing permanent Sales & Marketing and Office staff.

And with Thompson & Terry giving people in Oxfordshire a chance of finding a potential job, I spoke to Ben about why he and Mike wanted to start the business; the pleasures of starting their own company, the apprenticeship scheme the two have created and what the two have in store for the next few years.

Their answers will hopefully inspire the next generation of youngsters to find a career that they will flourish in.

How did you and Mike first meet?

I met Mike in early 2013 when I was then the account manager for Jack FM Oxfordshire and Mike was working for another recruitment agency, whilst running another small businesses in which I was helping him to advertise via the radio.

What is the purpose of your company?

Thompson & Terry is about creating cost-effective solutions that work such as sourcing the right personnel for their desired role and most importantly, finding people for the right company.

As a recruitment partner, it is important that we tailor our service to meet the needs of both clients and candidates, to ensure that we are able to work together with every single person in a bid to offer a consultative solution.

It is our vision that every client deserves a bespoke permanent recruitment service, that is paired with our local knowledge and unmatched consultative approach to employment.

We aim to provide a straightforward, efficient and approachable recruitment solution for your company.

What inspired the two of you to start the recruitment agency?

Whilst Mike and I are very different, we quickly realised that we share a very similar philosophy with regards to the level of service that should be offered by a recruitment agency, and we felt we could likely do a better job.

If we were to interview every client and candidate thoroughly, we would only send them for consideration if we would personally recruit them ourselves, we would likely be able to build a good business and we did exactly that!

Tell us more about the apprentice scheme you have got going?

Mid-2015 as a business, we decided that we were going to offer an ambitious young person the opportunity to build a long-term career within recruitment via an apprenticeship as a starting point.

With the help of Abingdon & Witney College, we were keen to ensure that any recruit that was given the opportunity would be as passionate as we are.

In September 2015 we recruited Maisie Durkin, who since has rapidly grown and become an integral part of our business.

Maisie regularly attends and talks at networking events, attends client visits, interviews candidates and even creates and stars in promotional videos.

What is the best thing about helping people from your experience?

If we are being totally honest, not every candidate or client seems to be grateful for our sheer hard work and we often don't hear from them again after the placement has been made, which is fine.

But, what really makes our job worthwhile are the candidates who are truly over the moon.

A great example of this is a young lad, who was so happy he had obtained his dream job, which he never thought was possible.

Since then he has obtained a promotion and become an integral asset to that business and also very kindly recommended us to several of his friends and business contacts.

What is the most challenging thing about your job?

Arguably the biggest problem for boutique agencies such as ourselves are the 'cowboy agencies' who work purely to a numbers model.

A massive example of this is a candidate that we had met.

We spent three to four hours to really learn about them in order to find the right 'fit' for them after exploring a number.

We then spent the evening helping them to re-write their CV and providing them with as much information about the role and client as possible before submitting their application.

However, within seconds, the client called us to advise they had received the candidate's CV 10 minutes ago from another agency – we have since found out that the agency hadn't even spoken to the candidate but just picked up the CV from a job board and hoped for the best.

The conclusion of this story is the candidate got the job and the other agency received a £4,000 to £5,000 fee for our hard work.

The only silver lining was that the candidate was very grateful indeed, and they seem to be doing really well with our client.

After helping someone secure a job, do you still keep in contact with that candidate?

We certainly keep constant communication from when the offer is accepted until the start date, to ensure both parties are happy and the candidate receives everything they need prior to their first day.

After this point we would always go via the client in order to hear of the progress of the candidate and offer support that might be required by the client or the candidate.

The reason for this is simple, due to the rising number of 'cowboys' within our industry that often place a candidate before 'poaching' them six months later, we are very anxious for our act of genuine interest not to be mistaken for anything else.

What is the next goal for Thompson and Terry within the next year?

Whilst we are quickly becoming a successful and well-regarded business, we are always looking for ways to improve and sustainably grow in order to offer a better service to both clients and candidates.

Aside from improving the service we provide and the financial return, we are working towards our final goal, which is probably a more sentimental one.

We are working with a number of local colleges, schools and charities in order to help provide a second chance into employment to as many job seekers as possible as our way of giving something back.

We worked with 180 business students at the City of Oxford College with the help of a former teacher of mine, Caroline Craft to complete their first three assignments which were all around employability skills, whilst providing them with the best possible insight into how they could achieve their own career goals and be successful.

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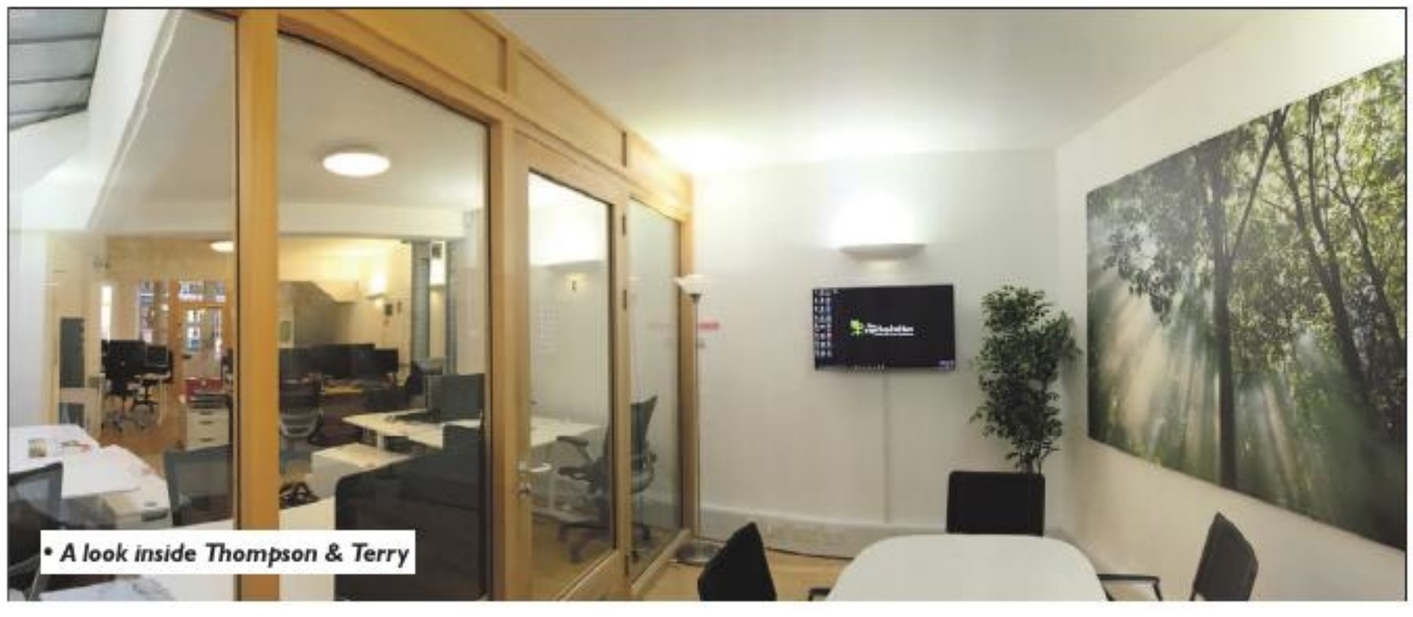
• *(from left) Ben Thompson, Maisie Durkin (centre), Mike Terry*



• *A look inside Thompson & Terry*

U's bounce back from Wembley final sorrow

By **Christian Wilson**

OXFORD United bounced back from their Wembley heartbreak in style on Saturday to reaffirm their League Two promotion credentials.

The U's hammered Crawley Town 5-1 on the road after going behind with a sensational second-half performance to stretch the gap over third to two points.

A Chris Maguire brace plus goals from Callum O'Dowda, Liam Sercombe and George Waring helped the Yellows claim their 21st league win of the season.

There was a fear before the clash at Broadfield Stadium that Oxford would suffer a hangover from their loss to Barnsley in the Johnstone's Paint Trophy final six days earlier.

But manager Michael Appleton's side came flying out of the traps early on, and but for the heroics of Crawley's Jack Rose, they would have taken a 10th minute lead, as he saved well to deny Liam Sercombe.

It was the hosts who broke the deadlock midway through the half however, as Gavin Tomlin squared the ball for Joe McNerny to fire home.

But Oxford drew level six minutes before the break when winger Alex MacDonald crossed for Maguire to slot home in the back of the net.

The U's took just one minute and 45 seconds to take the lead after half-time through O'Dowda, who latched on to Danny Hylton's clever flick to power the ball into the corner of the net.

Hylton was the provider again five minutes later when his pass sent Sercombe through to fire past Rose.

Maguire won and converted a penalty 18 minutes from time to make it four, with Appleton taking that as his cue to rest star men Hylton and O'Dowda.

But Crawley's misery was not over, as the substitutes got in on the act to make it 5-1 four minutes from time as James Roberts crossed for George Waring to force the ball over the line.

Only five matches now stand in the way of the U's claiming a place in League One, starting with this Saturday's match against Luton at the Kassam Stadium.

And Appleton has called on the club's fans to help his side get over the line by providing them with a 12th-man advantage over the Hatters.

He said: "The fans were brilliant at Crawley and I have said all season that they have been absolutely magnificent."

• *Oxford United midfielder Liam Sercombe, pictured earlier this season, claimed his side's third goal in the 5-1 win (picture by Steve Daniels)*

Oxfordshire ready for cricket season

CRICKET season will soon be underway, with Oxfordshire looking to better their runners-up achievement in last year's Minor Counties Championship.

After winning the MCCA Unicorns Western Division, they faced Cumberland in the national final in Carlisle, where they were eventually beaten.

But it capped a positive season for Oxfordshire, with the aim for 2016 to go one better.

Luke Ryan, business manager at the Oxfordshire Cricket Board, said: "Cricket in Oxfordshire is in a strong place moving into the 2016 season.

"We have been working hard during the winter months to make sure cricket in this county continues to develop and go from strength to strength.

"The performance sides have all prepared well and a variety of projects are planned to aid participation of the game.

"We are looking forward to the season ahead and would encourage everyone to follow our progress and engage with us."

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Slim pickings for City after two tough games

OXFORD City had a disappointing week as they only managed to pick up just one point from their games against Hayes & Yeading United and Whitehawk.

It means they have dropped further back from the play-off places, with the number of games left rapidly running out.

Saturday's match at home to Hayes & Yeading yielded a point following a 2-2 draw, although they would have been frustrated not to have won.

Hayes raced into a 2-0 lead, before City fought back in the second half through goals from Jose Lapoujade and Bradley Bubb.

City had several opportunities to add to their tally including an open goal chance in the dying moments of the match, but couldn't capitalise.

And it was even worse on Tuesday night, with a Jordan Rose brace earning Whitehawk victory on an evening that saw City captain Darren Pond succumb to injury just eight minutes in.

The results put City on 53 points in ninth, five behind Hemel Hempstead Town in the final play-off position with three games left to play.

And it is Hemel Hempstead that City next face away on Saturday, in a match they have to win to keep their play-off hopes alive.

• *Jose Lapoujade scored for City on Saturday (picture by Mike Allen)*

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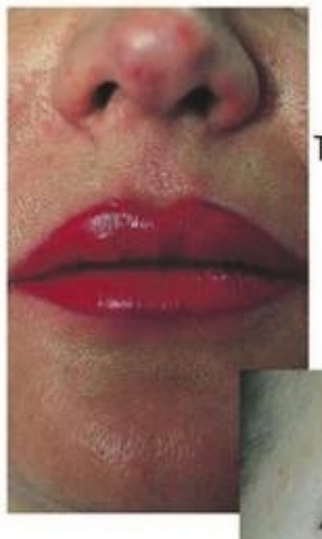

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Title joy for Greens after Lydney victory

By **Adam Flinn**

KIDLINGTON topped a stunning season as a 2-1 win over Lydney Town on Saturday ensured they were crowned Hellenic Premier League champions.

The three points mean the Greens cannot now be caught by second-placed Thatcham Town, who were seven points behind after Saturday's match.

A 3-0 win away to reigning champions Flackwell Heath on Tuesday night sweetened the moment, with Kidlington having just one match left to play.

It took 14 minutes of Saturday's match before the first real goal-scoring opportunity presented itself, as Anaclet Odhiambo's header was tipped just over the bar.

Kidlington came close again on the half-hour mark as Lewis Coyle's free kick found the head of Ryan Brooks, but Lydney keeper Richard Thomas was able to divert it on to the bar.

And yet another effort clattered into the woodwork on 38 minutes as Odhiambo somehow mishit his shot from just a few yards out, the sides going into the break goalless as a result.

But the Greens finally got the goal they deserved shortly into the second half, as Brooks fired a great shot inside the far post to put the visitors in front.

On the hour mark, it was 2-0 as just after replacing Brooks on the pitch, Kristian Thomas hammered in Lewis Coyle's cross to put the title within reach.

Lydney grabbed a late consolation as Kerry Hale smashed in a swerving shot in injury time, but it was not enough to deny Kidlington their triumph.

In Tuesday's match against Flackwell, Coyle scored early on, before Thomas and Jack Quainton added further strikes to earn another three points.

Kidlington host Tuffley Rovers in their last game on Saturday.

• Kidlington celebrate their title triumph

Ten-man North Leigh earn point against league leaders

NORTH Leigh put in a solid performance to claim a point against Southern League Division One South and West leaders Cinderford Town on Saturday.

Despite being reduced to 10 men, the Millers held on to secure a second consecutive 0-0 result.

Callum McNish was the man given his marching orders on 58 minutes after picking up a second yellow when the referee judged, somewhat controversially, that he had taken a dive.

However, Cinderford were unable to take advantage of their extra man, with the point leaving North Leigh ninth in the standings with 62 points after Saturday's match.

They were hosting Wimborne Town in the league last night as the Guardian went to press.

Elsewhere, Wantage Town had a miserable afternoon on Saturday as they were thrashed 4-0 away to Larkhall Athletic.

Three goals in a devastating seven-minute spell in the first half sealed the Freds' fate, with the Larks able to add another in the 71st minute.

They sit 20th in the table with 26 points after a disappointing campaign.

Wantage are back in action for their final home game of the season against Bishops Cleeve on Saturday.

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Fall ends Smith's points-scoring run

BRADLEY Smith's impressive run of MotoGP point-scoring finishes was brought to an end in Texas on Sunday when a fall dropped him to the back of the field.

The Oxford rider was up to eighth by lap eight, but the fall at the 11th turn of the Circuit of the Americas in Austin ended his hopes of a 27th successive finish in the points.

Despite the accident, Smith was able to jump back on his bike and continue, eventually bringing his Monster Yamaha Tech 3 home in 17th place.

"I lost the front at turn 11 due to an oil spill or something on the racetrack, which was frustrating because it wasn't a mistake of my own," said Smith after the race.

"I couldn't really do much once I got back on the bike because I had a damaged gear lever, which made it difficult to shift, plus I also lost the anti-wheelie so the final laps were tricky to say the least.

"However, I was determined to finish because we had worked hard all weekend and overall there are still many positives to consider as we were definitely stronger at the beginning of this grand prix than we have been in the first two."

Smith is currently 13th in the championship standings with 16 points.

He will be hoping for better luck at the next race in Jerez, Spain, on April 24.

•Smith had to settle for 17th in Texas on Sunday (picture courtesy of Tech3)

• Michael Appleton (picture by Steve Daniels)

Appleton signs new deal with U's

OXFORD United manager Michael Appleton has signed a new rolling contract with the club.

The 40-year-old, who joined the U's in the summer of 2014, has been given the improved contract following United's strong season which has seen them mount a strong promotion challenge and play at Wembley.

Appleton said: "I have thoroughly enjoyed my time at Oxford and it was an easy decision to sign a new contract because all I've ever wanted is to help take the club forward.

"The fans have made me feel welcome and I'm pleased to get everything sorted and be able to focus solely on the remaining five games of the season."

The contract follows several months of negotiations between Appleton and the club.

Chairman Darryl Eales said: "I am delighted that Michael has agreed to continue to be a central part of what we are trying to build here.

"He is a man of total integrity, with a huge work ethic and has the greatest respect of everyone.

"He has assembled an excellent squad that combines young local players with more experienced professionals, and we look forward to working with him for many years to come."

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United beaten

FOOTBALL: Abingdon United finished off their season with two defeats.

They fell 3-0 at home to Ardley United on Saturday, before being beaten 2-1 away to Tuffley Rovers on Tuesday.

It means that Abingdon finish second bottom of the Hellenic Premier League with 21 points, six adrift of Milton United.

Raring to go

MOTORSPORT: British Touring Car Championship (BTCC) ace Jason Plato will be back in action at Donington Park this weekend.

Despite only scoring three points on the opening weekend at Brands Hatch earlier this month, Oxford-based Plato and Team BMR were satisfied with the performance as they continue to develop their new car.

He is currently 19th in the standings.

Big defeat for RL

RUGBY LEAGUE: Oxford RL suffered another defeat in the Kingstone Press League 1 on Sunday as they were hammered 70-10 by Keighley Cougars.

Oxford have lost all four games in the league they have played so far, and sit 14th in the standings after failing to score a point so far.

They next play Hunslet Hawks at home on April 24.

Witney keep their winning form going

WITNEY RFC came out on top in their Oxfordshire derby match with Grove on Saturday, winning 42-10 to remain in touch with the South West 1 East's top three.

It was their sixth win in succession, with tries coming from David Hyde, Charlie Bennett, Charlie Dyde and Arron Lambourne.

Grove had been within five points of Witney in the run-up to half-time after Graham Crapper went over for a converted try and Michael Martin kicked a penalty.

But they were unable to push on in the second half, ensuring they suffered yet another defeat.

Elsewhere in the same league, Oxford Harlequins put in a good performance as they overcame High Wycombe 27-8.

It was the 'Quins 14th win of the season, and means they have won their last three matches.

Witney sit fourth in the standings with 83 points, while the 'Quins are sixth on 70 points and Grove 10th on 38 points.

All three return to action on Saturday, as Witney travel to Salisbury, 'Quins visit Swanage and Wareham and Grove host Reading.

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Diddy split the points with Magpies in draw

DIDCOT Town FC would have been looking to get back in shape on Saturday against Wimborne Town after falling 1-0 to Banbury United earlier this month, but the Railwaymen were held at bay and had to settle for a 1-1 draw.

Despite missing three regular players, including top scorer Mark Janes, Didcot managed to hold their own with Luke Carnell bringing their only goal of the game.

The Magpies kicked off the scoring just 12 minutes in at The Cuthbury when James Stokoe's header snuck past Diddy 'keeper Leigh Bedwell and defender Carnell.

Stokoe almost doubled the lead straight after but failed to connect and Bedwell made the easy save.

Player-manager Andy Ballard came on after midfielder Alex Woodhouse had to be subbed due to injury.

The Railwaymen boss was on the pitch for five minutes before being shown his 10th yellow card of the season and being handed a one-match suspension.

Diddy brought the score level towards half-time when Carnell got his head to Noble's pinpoint corner cross, to put the game at 1-1.

By **Alex Ballinger**

Noble followed up shortly after with a volley from just outside the box that went just wide of the post.

In the second half, pressure eased on either 'keeper until Diddy's Jack Lockford fired a shot that was blocked by Wimborne's Ryan Johnson.

Johnson denied The Railwaymen again minutes later when he cleared a James Organ header from the line.

Wimborne nearly went ahead when Stokoe stole the ball in the box, but he blasted the ball straight over the bar.

From the ensuing goal kick, striker George Reid, back on the pitch after weeks off from injury, struck a fearsome 30-yard shot that was barely tipped over the top.

Both teams pushed for a final goal into the closing minutes but each settled with the 1-1 draw.

Didcot Town sit safely in 10th place in the Division One South and West table with 60 points, two points behind Oxfordshire rivals North Leigh, with three games left of the season.

They now face Tiverton Town at The Loop Meadow on Saturday at 3pm.

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• *Luke Carnell in action last year (picture by Roger Neal)*

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